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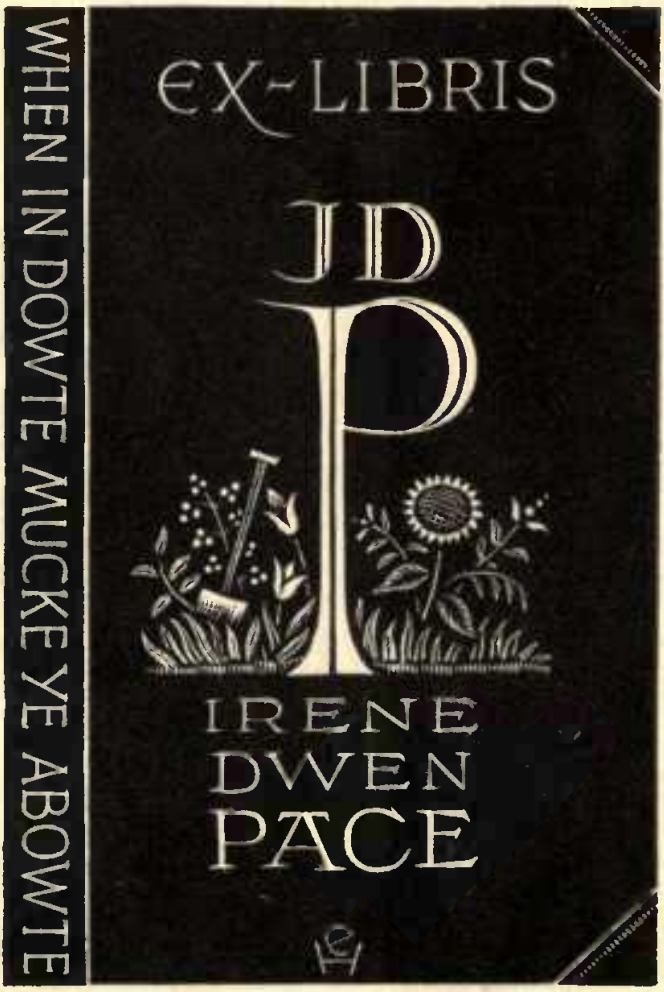

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In Bertie, Earl of Abingdon, page 100, line 10, after Lady Jane, *add*, who was married Sep. 20, 1760, to Thomas Clifton, Eſq; of Lytham in Lancaſhire.

In Coventry, Earl of Coventry, p. 113, line 10, inſtead of, by whom, *read*, by which Lady, who died Sept. 30, 1760.

In Sherrard, Earl of Harborough, page 143, line 11, inſtead of, by whom, *read*, by which Lady, who died Sept. 13, 1760.

In Devereux, Viſcount Hereford, p. 185. Edward Viſcount Hereford, died Sept. 1, 1760.

In Hatton, Viſcount Hatton, p. 191. William, Viſcount Hatton, died Sept. 10, 1760.

In Neville, Lord Abergavenny, p. 201, line 9, after Henry, *add*, and of a Daughter, born Sept. 4, 1760.

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A

SHORT VIEW OF THE PEERAGE OF ENGLAND:

Their MARRIAGES, ISSUE, and Immediate ANCESTORS.

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1. HOWARD DUKE OF NORFOLK.

THE moſt noble Prince EDWARD HOWARD, Duke of NORFOLK, Earl Marſhal, and hereditary Earl Marſhal of England, Earl of Arundel, Surrey, Norfolk, and Norwich; Baron of Mowbray, Howard, &c. Premier Duke, Earl, and Baron of England next the blood royal, and chief of the family of the Howards, ſucceeded his brother Thomas, the late Duke, December 23, 1732; and married, Nov. 6, 1727, Mary, daughter of Edward Blount, of Blagdon in Devonſhire, Eſq; by whom he has no iſſue.

Thomas Duke of Norfolk, father of the preſent Duke, married Mary-Elizabeth, ſole daughter and heir of Sir John Savil, of Copley in the county of York, Bart. by whom he had iſſue five ſons; alſo a daughter, the Lady Mary, who married Walter Aſton, Baron Aſton of Forfar in Scotland.

His ſons were,

1. Thomas, late Duke of Norfolk.

2. Henry, who died unmarried.

3. Edward, the preſent Duke.

4. Richard, who died unmarried.

5. Philip, who married to his firſt wife Winifred, daughter of Thomas Stonor of Stonor, in the county of Oxford, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue one daughter, named Winifred, who was married to William Lord Stourton, and died July 15, 1753; and one ſon named Thomas, born Feb. 4, 1727-8.

By his ſecond wife, Henrietta, daughter of Edward Blount of Blagdon, in the county of Devon, Eſq; and ſiſter to the preſent Ducheſs of Norfolk, he had one ſon named Edward, and a daughter named Anne. And the ſaid

Philip their father died Jan. 3, 1749-50.

This noble Duke is deſcended from Thomas de Brotherton, Earl of Norfolk, fifth ſon of King Edward I.

The Earl of Surrey, general of the Engliſh army, his Grace's anceſtor, obtained that deciſive victory over the Scots at Flodden Field, anno 1513, wherein King James IV. of Scotland loſt his life.

Arms.] Gules, in the middle of a bend between ſix croſs croſlets, argent; a ſhield, or; therein a demi lion rampant, pierced through the mouth with an arrow, within a double treſſure counterflory, gules.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules, turned up ermine, a lion paſſant-guardant, his tail extended, gorged with a ducal coronet, argent, as deſcended from Margaret, daughter and heir of Thomas de Brotherton, Earl of Norfolk, fifth ſon of Edward I.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a lion, and on the ſiniſter a horſe, both argent; the latter holding a ſlip of oak fructed, proper.

Motto.] *Sola virtus invicta.*

Chief Seats.] At Arundel-Caſtle, in Suſſex; Worksſop-Manor, in the county of Nottingham; St. James's-Square, London.

2. SEY-

2. SEYMOUR, DUKE OF SOMERSET.

THE moſt noble Prince EDWARD SEYMOUR, Duke of SOMERSET, Baron Seymour, and Baronet, ſucceeded his father the late Duke, who died Dec. 15, 1757.

Edward Seymour, the late Duke, married Mary, daughter and heir of Daniel Webb, of Monkton-Farley in Wiltſhire, Eſq; and niece and heir of Edward Somner, of Send in the ſame county, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue four ſons, and a daughter, viz.

1. Edward, the preſent Duke.

2. Lord Webb-Seymour, who inherits his grandfather's eſtate at Monkton-Farley.

3. Lord William, who, being entered in the Inner-Temple, was called to the bar as barriſter of law in 1744.

4. Lord Francis, appointed in July 1752, one of his Majeſty's chaplains in ordinary, and now one of the canons of Windſor; is married to Catharine, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Payne, and ſiſter to the Counteſs-Dowager of Northampton.

5. Lady Mary, married Sept. 21, 1759, to Vincent Biſcoe, Eſq;

On the death of his Grace Algernoon, Duke of Somerſet, in Feb. 1749-50, the late Duke ſucceeded to the honours of Duke of Somerſet and Baron Seymour, being lineally deſcended from Edward Duke of Somerſet, uncle of King Edward VI. and protector of the realm in the beginning of that reign.

Creations.] Baron Seymour, by letters patent, Feb. 15, 1546, (1 Edward VI.) and Duke of Somerſet the day following.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, or, on a pile, gules, between ſix fleur-de-Lis, azure, three lions of England; (an augmentation granted by King Henry VIII. on his marriage with the Lady Jane Seymour)

ſecond and third, the paternal coat of Seymour; gules, two wings, conjoined in lure, tips downwards, or.

Creſt.] Out of a ducal coronet, or, a phœnix in flames, proper, in memory of King Edward VI.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide an unicorn, argent, armed, creſted, and gorged, with a ducal collar, to which is affixed a chain, or. On the ſiniſter a bull, azure, collared, chained, and hooſed, as that on the dexter.

Motto.] *Foy pour devoir.*

Chief Seats.] At Maiden-Bradley in Wiltſhire, and Berry-Pomeroy in Devonſhire; Groſvenor-ſtreet, London.

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3. FITZROY DUKE OF CLEVELAND.

THE moſt noble Prince WILLIAM FITZROY, Duke of CLEVELAND and SOUTHAMPTON, Earl of Southampton and Chicheſter, and Baron of Nonſuch and Newbury, comptroller of the ſeal and green wax-office, and receiver-general and comptroller of the profits of the ſeals in the courts of King's-Bench and Common-Pleas, was born Feb. 19, 1697-8, ſucceeded his father, the late Duke Charles, in 1730, and married, in 1731, the Lady Henrietta Finch, daughter of Daniel late Earl of Winchelſea and Nottingham; by whom he has no iſſue.

The Ducheſs died in April 1742, and his Grace is yet a widower.

The late Duke Charles was the eldeſt natural ſon of King Charles II. by the Lady Barbara Villiers, daughter and heir of William Villiers, Viſcount Grandiſon; which Lady was, on the 3d of Auguſt, 22 Car. II. created Baroneſs of Nonſuch, Counteſs of Southampton, and Ducheſs of Cleveland; and the Ducheſs dying at Chiſwick, in the county of Middleſex, Oct. 9, 1709,

1709, was ſucceeded by her ſaid ſon Charles, who was born in June 1662, and married Mary, daughter and ſole heir of Sir Henry Wood, one of the clerks of the green-cloth in the reign of King Charles II. by whom he had no iſſue.

His Grace married again in 1694, Anne, daughter of Sir William Pultney, of Leiceſterſhire, Knt. by whom he had three ſons and three daughters, viz.

1. William, the preſent Duke.

2. Lord Charles Fitzroy, born Feb. 13, 1698-9, and died July 31, 1723.

3. Lord Henry Fitzroy, born Auguſt 1701, and died in 1708.

4. Lady Barbara.

5. Lady Grace, married to the Honourable Henry late Earl of Darlington.

6. Lady Anne.

Arms.] Quarterly; the firſt and fourth grand quarters quarterly, France and England; the ſecond Scotland, and the third Ireland; being the arms of King Charles II. over all a baſton, ſiniſter counter-compone, ermine and azure.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules, turned up ermine, a lion paſſant-guardant, or, crowned with a ducal coronet, argent, and gorged with a collar counter-compone, ermine and azure.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a lion guardant, or, crowned with a ducal coronet, azure, and gorged with a collar counter-compone, ermine and azure. On the ſiniſter, a greyhound, argent, collared as the dexter.

Motto.] *Secundis dubiiſque rectus.*

Chief Seats] At Bayles, in the county of Berks, near Windſor; at Combe Park in the county of Surrey, and St. James's-Square, London.

4. LENOX DUKE OF RICHMOND.

THE moſt noble Prince CHARLES LENOX, Duke of RICHMOND in South Britain, of Lenox in North Britain, and Aubigny in France; Earl of March and Darnley, Baron of Settrington and Turbolton, &c. colonel of the 72d regiment of foot, born Feb. 1734-5, ſucceeded Charles the late Duke his father, in honour and eſtate, Aug. 8, 1750; and April 1, 1757, was married to the Lady Mary Bruce, ſiſter to the Earl of Ayleſbury.

Charles, father of the preſent Duke, was born May 18, 1701; and married in Dec. 1719, the Lady Sarah, eldeſt daughter and coheir of William Earl of Cadogan, who died Aug. 25, 1751; and by whom he had iſſue,

1. Lady Georgina-Carolina, born March 27, 1723, and married in May 1744, to the Right Hon. Henry Fox, Eſq; now paymaſter-general of his Majeſty's forces, and one of the lords of his Majeſty's privy-council, only brother to Stephen Earl of Ilcheſter.

2. A ſon, who died immediately after his birth, Sept. 3, 1724.

3. Lady Louiſa Margaret, born Nov. 15, 1725, and died in 1728.

4. Lady Anne, born May 27, 1726, and died the ſame year.

5. Charles Earl of March, born Sept. 9, 1730, who died the ſame year.

6. Lady Emilia, born Oct. 6, 1731, married Feb. 7, 1746-7, to the Earl of Kildare in Ireland.

7. Charles, now Duke of Richmond.

8. Lord George-Henry, born Nov. 27, 1737, appointed lieutenant-colonel of the 33d regiment of foot in May 1758, married, in 1759, to Lady ——, daughter to the Earl of Ancram in Scotland.

9. Lady

9. Lady Margaret, born Nov. 16, 1739, and died Jan. 10, 1740-1.

10. Lady Louiſa-Auguſta, born Nov. 24, 1743.

11. Lady Sarah, born Feb. 14, 1744-5.

12. Lady Cecilia Margaret, born Feb. 28, 1749-50.

Charles Duke of Richmond, grandfather of the preſent Duke, was the only ſon of King Charles II. by the Lady Louiſa Renée de Penencourt, of Querouelle in France; whom King Charles created Ducheſs of Portſmouth, Counteſs of Farnham, and Baroneſs of Petersfield, 25 Car. II. 1673; and, by the interceſſion of King Charles to the French King, Lewis XIV. ſhe was created Ducheſs of Aubigny in France.

Charles, the ſaid Duke, married Anne, the widow and relict of Henry Lord Belaſis, eldeſt daughter of Francis Lord Brudnel, ſon and heir of Robert Earl of Cardigan, and ſiſter to George late Earl of Cardigan, by whom he had iſſue,

1. Charles, late Duke of Richmond.

2. Lady Louiſa, married to James, late Earl of Berkeley.

3. Lady Anne, married to William Anne, Earl of Albemarle.

Arms.] The arms of King Charles II. within a bordure-compone, argent and gules; the firſt charged with verdoy of roſes of the ſecond, barbed and ſeeded, proper.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules, turned up ermine, a lion paſſant-guardant, or, crowned with a ducal coronet, gules, and gorged with a collar, gobone, counter-charged, as the bordure in the coat.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide an unicorn, armed, creſted, and hoofed, argent. On the ſiniſter, an antelope, armed, creſted, and hoofed, as the dexter; each ſupporter gorged with a collar, compone, gules and ermine.

Motto.] *En la roſe je Fleurie.*

Chief Seats.] At Goodwood, in the county of Suſſex; Priwy-Garden, Weſtminſter.

5. FITZ-

5. FITZROY DUKE OF GRAFTON.

THE moſt noble Prince AUGUSTUS HENRY FITZROY, Duke of GRAFTON, Earl of Euſton and Arlington, Viſcount Thetford and Ipſwich, Baron of Arlington and Sudbury, remembrancer of the firſt fruits, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Suffolk, ranger of Whitlebury-foreſt in Northamptonſhire, his Majeſty's game-keeper at Newmarket, and recorder of the city of Coventry, born in Oct. 1735, ſucceeded his grandfather, Charles the late Duke of Grafton, May 6, 1757; and on Jan. 29, 1756, married Anne, only daughter of Henry Liddel, Lord Ravenſworth, who, on May 8, 1757, was brought to-bed of a daughter, named Georgiana; and of a ſon and heir Jan. 16, 1760.

Charles Fitzroy, the late Duke, was born Oct. 25, 1683; and, in 1713, married the Lady Henrietta Somerſet, daughter of Charles, Marquis of Worceſter, eldeſt ſon of Henry, Duke of Beaufort; by whom he had iſſue,

1. George Earl of Euſton, who married the Lady Dorothy Boyle, daughter of Richard Earl of Burlington; both of them dying without iſſue.

2. Lord Auguſtus, who married ———, daughter of colonel Coſby, by whom he left iſſue, 1. Lord Auguſtus, now Duke of Grafton; and, 2. the Lord Charles Fitzroy, lieutenant-colonel in the army, and married to Miſs Warren, one of the coheireſſes of the late Sir Peter Warren, July 27, 1758, by whom he had a daughter born May 10, 1759. The late Lord Auguſtus, their father, was captain of the Orford man of war, and died at Jamaica in Feb. 1740-1.

3. Lord Charles, who died at Milan in Italy, unmarried.

4. The

4. The Lady Carolina, who married Lord Peterſham, now Earl of Harrington; by whom ſhe has iſſue. *See Earl of Harrington.*

5. Lady Arabella, who married Lord Conway, now Earl of Hertford; by whom he has iſſue, Francis, born 1742, &c. *See Earl of Hertford.*

Henry Fitzroy, father of the late Duke, was the ſecond ſon of King Charles II. by the Lady Barbara Villiers, Ducheſs of Cleveland. He was born Sept. 28, 1663; created Baron of Sudbury, Viſcount Ipſwich, and Earl of Euſton, Aug. 6, 1675; and, in September following, Duke of Grafton. He received a mortal wound at the ſiege of Cork in Ireland, of which he died, Oct. 9, 1690, being ſucceeded in his honours and eſtates by his ſaid ſon Charles, the late Duke, whoſe mother was the only daughter and heir of Henry Bennet, Earl of Arlington, by the Lady Iſabella of Naſſau, ſiſter to Henry of Naſſau, ſignior D'Auverquerque.

Arms.] The arms of King Charles II. with a baton ſiniſter-compone, argent and azure.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules, turned up ermine, a lion paſſant-guardant, or, crowned with a ducal coronet, azure, and gorged with a collar counter-compone, argent and azure.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a lion guardant, or, crowned with a ducal coronet, azure, and gorged with a collar counter-compone, argent and azure. On the ſiniſter, a greyhound, argent, gorged as the lion.

Motto.] *Et decus et pretium recti.*

Chief Seats.] At Wakefield-lodge in Whitlebury-foreſt, in Northamptonſhire; at Livermore-hall, and Euſton-hall, in the county of Suffolk; Old Bond-ſtreet, London.

6. SOMERSET, DUKE OF BEAUFORT.

THE moſt noble Prince HENRY SOMERSET, Duke of BEAUFORT, Marquis and Earl of Worceſter, Earl of Glamorgan, Viſcount Groſmont, Baron Herbert, Lord of Ragland, Chepſtow, and Gower, all in the county of Monmouth; as alſo Baron Beaufort of Caldecot-caſtle, born Oct. 16, 1744, ſucceeded his father Charles, the late Duke, who died Nov. 1, 1756.

Charles, the late Duke, born Sept. 12, 1709, ſucceeded his brother Duke Henry, Feb. 24, 1745-6. His Grace married, May 1, 1740, Elizabeth, daughter of James Berkley, of Stoke in Glouceſterſhire, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue,

1. Lady Anne, born in 1741, and married, Sept. 13, 1759, to Charles, the preſent Earl of Northampton.
2. Lady Elizabeth.
3. Henry the preſent Duke.
4. Lady Rachel, who died in her infancy. And,
5. Lady Harriot, born in 1747-8; and Lady ——, born Aug. 1, 1756.

Henry, brother to the late Duke, on June 28, 1729, married Frances, only child and heir to Sir James Scudamore, of Home-Lacy in the county of Hereford, Bart. Viſcount Scudamore in Ireland, by Frances his wife, only daughter of Simon Lord Digby; by whom he had no iſſue. On June 16, 1729, his Grace was elected high-ſteward of the city of Hereford; and in 1730, an act was paſſed in parliament, for obliging his Grace and his Ducheſs, and her children, to take the additional ſurname and bear the arms of Scudamore, purſuant to a ſettlement made by her Grace's father. He was divorced from this lady, March 2, 1743-4; and dying Feb. 24, 1745-6, leaving no iſſue, was ſucceeded by the Lord Charles Noel, his brother, the late Duke.

Henry,

Henry, Duke of Beaufort, father of the two laſt Dukes, was born April 2, 1684. He married, in 1702, the Lady Mary Sackville, only daughter of Charles Earl of Dorſet, who died June 18, 1705, leaving no iſſue. He married to his ſecond wife, in 1706, the Lady Rachel Noel, ſecond daughter of Wriotheſly Baptiſt Noel, Earl of Gainſborough; by whom he had iſſue,

1. Henry Duke of Beaufort.
2. Lord John, who died young. And,
3. The Lord Charles Noel, the late Duke, of whom the Ducheſs died in childbed.

His Grace married to his third wife, the Lady Mary Oſborne, youngeſt daughter of Peregrine Duke of Leeds; by whom he had no iſſue.

This noble Duke is lineally deſcended from John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaſter, fourth ſon of King Edward III.

Arms.] Quarterly, France and England, within a bordure-compone, argent and azure.

Creſt.] A portcullis, or, nailed, azure; chains of the firſt.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a panther, argent, ſpotted with various colours, fire iſſuing out of his mouth and ears, proper, gorged with a collar, and chain pendant, or. On the ſiniſter, a wyverne, vert, holding in his mouth a ſiniſter-hand couped at the wriſt, proper.

Motto.] *Mutare vel timere ſperno.*

Chief Seats.] At Badminton in Glouceſterſhire; Chepſtow-caſtle in Monmouthſhire; at Netherhaven in the county of Wilts; and Upper Groſvenor-ſtreet, London.

7. BEAUCLERK, DUKE OF ST. ALBANS.

THE moſt noble Prince GEORGE BEAUCLERK, Duke of ST. ALBANS, Earl of Burford, and Baron of Heddington, was born June 25, 1730, is hereditary grand falconer, regiſter of the court of Chancery, and lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Berks, and high-ſteward of the corporation of Windſor. He ſucceeded his father Charles the late Duke, on his deceaſe July 27, 1751. He married, Oct. 23, 1752, Jane, ſole daughter and heir of Sir Walter Roberts, of Glaſſenbury in Kent, Bart.

His Grace Charles Duke of St. Albans, grandfather of the preſent Duke, was a natural ſon of King Charles II. by Mrs. Eleanor Gwin (on whom his Majeſty conferred the ſirname of Beauclerk) born May 8, 1670; and Dec. 26, 1676, was created Baron of Heddington, in the county of Oxford, and Earl of Burford; and 35 Car. II. 1683, created Duke of St. Albans. His Grace, April 17, 1694, married the Lady Diana Vere, eldeſt daughter and coheir to the Right Hon. Aubrey de Vere, laſt Earl of Oxford of that noble family; by whom he had iſſue,

1. Charles, the late Duke, born April 6, 1696, ſucceeded his father May 11, 1726, and married, Dec. 13, 1722, Lucy, daughter of Sir John Werdon, of Hollyport in the county of Berks, Bart. by whom he had iſſue George the preſent Duke, and a daughter, Diana, born Oct. 23, 1725.

2. Lord William, born May 22, 1698; who, in 1722, married Charlotte, daughter and coheir of Sir John Worden, Bart. by whom he had iſſue, 1. William, who died at Eaton-ſchool. 2. Charles Beauclerk, Eſq; 3. Charlotte; and, 4. Caroline.

3. Lord Vere, born July 14, 1699, who married, in April 1736, Mary, eldeſt daughter, and one of the coheirs of the late Sir Thomas Chambers, of Hanworth in the county of Middleſex, Bart. by

whom.

whom he had iſſue, 1. Chambers Beauclerk, Eſq; ſince dead. 2. Aubrey. 3. Vere, who died an infant; and 4. a daughter.

4. Lord Henry, born Auguſt 11, 1701; who married, in December 1738, Mary, ſiſter and heir of Nevil Lord Lovelace; by whom he has iſſue living, a ſon, and ſeveral daughters.

5. Lord Sidney, born February 27, 1702; married, Dec. 9, 1736, Mary, daughter of Thomas Norris, of Speak in the county of Lancaſter, Eſq; His Lordſhip died Nov. 23, 1744.

6. Lord George, major-general of his Majeſty's forces.

7. Lord James, biſhop of Hereford, unmarried.

8. Lord Aubrey, born in 1711; killed on board the Prince Frederick man of war at Carthagena.

Arms.] The arms of King Charles II. with a baton ſiniſter, gules; charged with three roſes, argent, ſeeded and barbed, proper.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules, turned up ermine, a lion paſſant-guardant, or, crowned with a ducal coronet party per pale, argent and gules, and gorged with a collar, gules, charged with three roſes, argent, ſeeded and barbed, proper.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, an antelope, argent, armed and unguled, or. On the ſiniſter, a greyhound, argent, gorged and unguled, as the other.

Motto.] *Auſpicium melioris ævi.*

Chief Seats.] At Windſor in Berkſhire; at Crawley in Hampſhire; and St. James's-Place, London.

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8. POWLET, DUKE OF BOLTON.

THE moſt noble Prince CHARLES POWLET, Duke of BOLTON, Marquis of Wincheſter, Earl of Wiltſhire, Baron St. John of Baſing, premier Marquis of England, a knight of the Bath, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county and town of Southampton,

Southampton, and one of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy-council, ſucceeded his father Harry, the late Duke, upon his death, which happened Oct, 9, 1759.

Harry the late Duke of Bolton, ſucceeded his brother Charles, Aug. 26, 1754.

The ſaid Charles Duke of Bolton, married the Lady Anne Vaughan, daughter and ſole heir to John Lord Vaughan, Earl of Carbery in Ireland, and Baron of Emlyn in England; but not cohabiting with her, had no children by her: and the Ducheſs dying Sept. 20, 1751, he married Mrs. Lavinia Fenton, the famous Polly Peachum, by whom he had no legitimate iſſue, tho' he had ſeveral children by her before he married her. Her Grace died Jan. 17, 1760.

Charles Marquis of Wincheſter, eldeſt ſon of John Marquis of Wincheſter, was created Duke of Bolton by William and Mary, 1689: beſides the late Duke Charles, his Grace's other ſons were,

1. Lord Naſſau, married, in 1731, to Lady Iſabella, daughter and coheir of John Earl of Thanet, and had two ſons, viz. 1. Naſſau, who died in 1741. 2. Charles; and two daughters. His Lordſhip died in Aug. 1741; and his lady is ſince married to Francis Blake Delaval, of Seaton-Delaval in Northumberland, Eſq; member of parliament for Andover.

2. Harry the late Duke, who married Catharine, daughter of Charles Parry, of Oakfield in Berkſhire, Eſq; by whom he hath iſſue two ſons, and two daughters, viz.

1. Charles, now Duke of Bolton.

2. Lord Harry, vice-admiral of the White, and member of parliament for Lymington; married, May 13, 1752, Miſs Nunn, of Eltham in Kent, and has iſſue.

3. Lady Henrietta, married, July 12, 1741, to Robert Colebrooke, of Chilham-caſtle in Kent, Eſq; member of parliament for Malden; and is deceaſed.

4. Lady

4. Lady Catharine, married firſt, June 4, 1749, to William Aſhe, Eſq; and, ſecondly, in Feb. 1755, to Adam Drummond, Eſq;

This noble Duke is deſcended from Hercules Lord of Tournon in Picardy, who came over to England with Jeffrey Plantagenet, Earl of Anjou, third ſon of King Henry II. and among other lands, had the lordſhip of Paulet in Somerſetſhire conferred upon him. It has been a moſt loyal family: John Marquis of Wincheſter fortified his houſe at Baſing, and, introducing a brave garriſon into it, defended it for King Charles I. for two years, againſt all the power of his enemies, refuſing to ſurrender until the place was taken by ſtorm.

Arms.] Sable, three ſwords in pile, their points towards the baſe, argent, the pomels and hilts, or, a creſcent for difference.

Creſt.] On a wreath a mount, vert, from whence a falcon, riſing, or, gorged with a ducal coronet, gules, the creſt of Lord St. John of Baſing, as a deſcendant of an heir female of that family.

Supporters.] Two hinds, purpure, ſemi of Eſtoils, argent, gorged with a ducal coronet, or.

Motto.] *Aymez loyaulte.*

Chief Seats.] At Hackwood-park, and Abbotſtone, in Hampſhire; at Golden-grove in the county of Caermarthen; Bolton-hall in Yorkſhire; and at Hook-park in the county of Dorſet; Downing-ſtreet, London.

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9. OSBORNE, DUKE OF LEEDS.

THE moſt noble Prince THOMAS OSBORNE, Duke of Leeds, Marquis of Caermarthen, Earl of Danby, Viſcount Latimer and Dumblain, Baron Oſborne of Kiveton, one of the lords of his Majeſty's privy-council, cofferer of his Majeſty's houſhold, and knight of the moſt noble order of the garter, ſucceeded his father the late Duke Peregrine, May 9, 1731;

1731; and, on June 6, 1740, married the Lady Mary, youngeſt daughter of Francis Earl of Godolphin, and grand-daughter of John late Duke of Marlborough; by whom he has iſſue living, a ſon, Thomas Marquis of Caermarthen, born Oct. 5, 1747, and Lord Francis, born Jan. 29, 1750-1.

The late Duke Peregrine, father of the preſent Duke, married the Lady Elizabeth, daughter to Edward Harley, Earl of Oxford, lord high-treaſurer of England; by whom he had iſſue, Thomas, the preſent Duke. This Lady dying, Nov. 20, 1713, his Grace married the Lady Anne Seymour, third daughter of Charles Duke of Somerſet; and after her death, in April 1725, his Grace married to his third wife Juliana, daughter and coheir to Roger Hole, Eſq; by whom he had no iſſue.

Sir Thomas Oſborne, the grandfather of the preſent Duke, was conſtituted lord high-treaſurer of England by King Charles II. about 1673; and, in 25 Car. II. he was created a Baron, by the title of Baron Kiveton, and Viſcount Latimer; and the 27 Car. II. he was created Earl of Danby, and Viſcount Dumblain in Scotland. In May 1689 he was, by King William, created Marquis of Caermarthen; and, on May 4, 1694, he was, by the ſame King, created Duke of Leeds.

This noble Duke is deſcended from the honourable family of the Oſbornes, of Aſhford in the county of Kent.

Arms.] Quarterly, ermine and azure, a croſs, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath of his colours, a tyger paſſant, argent.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a griphon, or. On the ſiniſter, a tyger, argent; each gorged with a ducal coronet, azure.

Motto.] *Pax in bello.*

Chief Seats.] At North-Myms in Hertfordſhire; at Kiveton, Harthill-hall, Thorp-hall, and Waller-hall, all in the county of York. St. James's-ſquare, London.

10. RUSSEL, DUKE of BEDFORD.

THE moſt noble Prince JOHN RUSSEL, Duke of BEDFORD, Marquis of Taviſtock, Earl of Bedford, Baron Ruſſel of Cheneys-Thornaugh, and Baron Howland of Stretham, lord lieutenant of the counties of Bedford and Devon, high-ſteward of the corporation of Huntingdon, lieutenant-general of his Majeſty's forces, lieutenant-general and governor of Ireland, knight of the moſt noble order of the garter, one of the lords of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy-council, maſter of the Trinity-Houſe, preſident of the Foundling-Hoſpital, one of the governors of the Charter-Houſe, and warden and keeper of New Foreſt, was born Sept. 30, 1710, and married, in Oct. 1731, to the Lady Diana Spencer, youngeſt daughter of Charles Earl of Sunderland, by the Lady Anne, daughter of John Duke of Marlborough; by whom he had iſſue one ſon, who died the day he was born; and her Grace dying, Sept. 27, 1735, his Grace married again, in April 1737, Gertrude, eldeſt daughter of John Lord Gower; by whom he hath iſſue,

1. Francis Marquis of Taviſtock, born Sept. 26, 1739.

2. Lady Carolina, born in Jan. 1742-3.

Wriotheſley Duke of Bedford, father of the late and preſent Duke, was born Nov. 1, 1680, and married, May 23, 1695, Elizabeth, daughter and heireſs of John Howland, of Stretham, Eſq; and was thereupon created Baron Howland of Stretham, the 13th of June following. His Grace died, May 26, 1711, leaving iſſue two ſons and two daughters, viz.

1. Wriotheſley, the late Duke; and,

2. Lord John, the preſent Duke.

Wriotheſley, the late Duke, ſucceeded his father in 1711; and, in 1725, married the Lady Anne Egerton, only daughter of Scroop, late Duke of Bridgwater, by whom he had no iſſue; and dying,

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October 23, 1732, was ſucceeded in honour and eſtate by his only brother, the ſaid Lord John Ruſſel, now Duke of Bedford.

The ſiſters of the late and preſent Dukes are,

1. Lady Rachel, who married his Grace Scroop Egerton, late Duke of Bridgwater, and is ſince married to Sir Richard Lyttleton, knight of the Bath.

2. Lady Elizabeth, married, in 1726, to William Earl of Eſſex.

William Earl of Bedford, father of the late famous Lord William Ruſſel, was created Marquis of Taviſtock, and Duke of Bedford, 6 Wm. and Mary, 1694. The preamble to his patent recites, That it was not the leaſt inducement to the conferring theſe honours upon him, that he was father to the late Lord Ruſſel, the ornament of his age. His Grace died Sept. 7, 1700, in the 87th year of his age, having had iſſue, among other children,

1. Lord Francis, who died in 1679, unmarried.

2. Lord William, who married the Lady Rachel, ſecond daughter and heir of Thomas Wriotheſley Earl of Southampton, and lord high-treaſurer of England; and by her left iſſue one ſon, named Wriotheſley, born May 1, 1688, who ſucceeded his grandfather in his honours and eſtates, Sept. 7, 1700. He left alſo two daughters: 1. Lady Rachel, born 1674, married to his Grace William Cavendiſh, late Duke of Devonſhire. 2. The Lady Catharine, born Aug. 23, 1676, married to John Manners, late Marquis of Granby, afterwards Duke of Rutland.

This noble Duke is of Norman extraction, and his anceſtors appear to have been poſſeſſed of a conſiderable eſtate in the county of Dorſet in the year 1202.

Arms.] Argent; a lion rampant, gules; on a chief, ſable, three eſcallops of the firſt.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a goat paſſant, argent, armed, or.

Supporters.]

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a lion; on the ſiniſter an antelope, both gules; the latter gorged with a ducal collar, chained, armed, creſted, tufted, and hoofed, or.

Motto.] *Che Sara, Sara.*

Chief Seats.] At Woburn-abbey in Bedfordſhire; Thornhaugh in Northamptonſhire; Cheneys in Bucks; and at Bedford-houſe in Bloomsbury-ſquare, London.

II. CAVENDISH, DUKE of DEVONSHIRE.

THE moſt noble Prince WILLIAM CAVENDISH, Duke of DEVONSHIRE, Marquis of Hartington, Earl of Devonſhire, and Baron Cavendiſh of Hardwick, lord-chamberlain of his Majeſty's houſhold, knight of the moſt noble order of the garter, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Derby, lord high-treaſurer of Ireland, governor of the county of Cork in that kingdom, and governor of the Charter-houſe, one of the lords of his Majeſty's privy-council, ſucceeded his father in his honours and eſtates on the 5th of Dec. 1755.

His Grace married, in March 1748, the Lady Charlotta Boyle, youngeſt daughter of the late Earl of Burlington, by which lady, who died in December 1754, he had iſſue,

1. William Marquis of Hartington, born in Dec. 1748.
2. Lord Richard, born June 19, 1752.
3. Lord George Henry, born in March 1754.
4. Lady Dorothy, born Aug. 17 1750.

William the late Duke, on March 27, 1718, married Catharine, the daughter and ſole heir of John Hoſkins, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue,

1. William, the preſent Duke.

2. Lord

2. Lord George Cavendiſh.

3. Lord Frederick Cavendiſh, appointed colonel of a regiment of foot, and aid de camp to his Majeſty in May 1758, and, in Nov. 1759, appointed colonel of the 64th regiment of foot, in the room of Brigadier Townſhend.

4. Lord John Cavendiſh; all three unmarried.

The ſaid Duke's daughters were,

1. Lady Carolina, who married, in 1739, to William Ponſonby, Lord Viſcount Duncannon, now Earl of Beſsborough of the kingdom of Ireland, and died Jan. 20, 1760.

2. Lady Elizabeth, married, in 1743, to the Hon. John Ponſonby, Eſq; brother to the Earl of Beſborough.

3. Lady Rachel, who married, in 1748, to Horace Lord Walpole of Woolterton.

His Grace William Duke of Devonſhire, grandfather of the preſent Duke, married the Lady Rachel, daughter of William Lord Ruſſel, and ſiſter to Wriotheſley, father of the late and preſent Dukes of Bedford, and by her had iſſue,

1. William the late Duke of Devonſhire.

2. Lord James, colonel of a regiment of foot, died in 1741.

3. Lord Charles, who married, Jan. 9, 1728-9, the Lady Anne Grey, third daughter of his Grace Henry Duke of Kent; and by her had iſſue two ſons.

4. Lord John, who died May 10, 1720.

5. Lady Mary, died June 15, 1719, unmarried.

6. Lady Rachel, married to Sir William Morgan of Tredegar in the county of Monmouth, Knight.

7. Lady Elizabeth, married to Sir Thomas Lowther, of Hooker in the county of Lancaſter, Bart. and died in 1737.

8. Lady Catharine.

9. Lady Anne; and,

10. Lady

10. Lady Diana; all three died unmarried.

This noble Duke is deſcended from Robert de Gernon, a Norman commander, who attended William Duke of Normandy, in his invaſion of England, in the year 1066.

Arms.] Sable; three harts heads caboſhed, argent, attired, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a ſnake noue, proper,

Supporters.] Two harts, each gorged with a garland or ſprig of roſes, proper; attired, or.

Motto.] *Cavendo tutus.*

Chief Seats.] At Chatſworth and Hardwick, in Derbyſhire; and Devonſhire-houſe in Piccadily, London.

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12. SPENCER, DUKE OF MARLBOROUGH.

THE moſt noble Prince GEORGE SPENCER, Duke of MARLBOROUGH, Marquis of Blandford, Earl of Sunderland and Marlborough, Baron Spencer of Wormleighton, and Baron Churchill of Sandridge, preſident of the Small-pox-hoſpital, born Jan. 26, 1738, ſucceeded his father Charles in Oct. 1758.

Charles, the late Duke, was born Nov. 22, 1706; and, in 1731, on the death of William Marquis of Blandford, ſon and heir of Francis Earl of Godolphin and Henrietta Ducheſs of Marlborough, he ſucceeded to that title, and to 8000 *l. per ann.* of the late Duke of Marlborough's eſtate; and on the death of the ſaid Henrietta Ducheſs of Marlborough, in 1733, he ſucceeded to the title of Duke of Marlborough, as heir to the Lady Anne Churchill, his mother, ſecond daughter and coheir of John Duke of Marlborough. His Grace when he died was general over all and ſingular the foot forces, employed, or to be employed, in his Majeſty's ſervice, and commander in chief of

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all the Britiſh forces upon the Rhine, under Prince Ferdinand of Brunſwick: he was maſter of the ordnance, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Oxford, knight of the moſt noble order of the garter, and one of his Majeſty's privy-council. His Grace was married, on May 23, 1732, to Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Lord Trevor; by whom he had iſſue,

1. The Lady Diana, born March 24, 1734; and married, Sept. 9, 1757, to Lord Viſcount Bolingbroke.
2. Lady Elizabeth, born Dec. 29, 1737, married, March 13, 1756, to Henry Earl of Pembroke.
3. George, the preſent Duke.
4. Lord Charles, born in 1740.
5. Lord Robert, born May 8, 1747.

The late Duke (by the mother) was deſcended from Roger de Courcil, of the family of Leon in France; who came over with William the Conqueror in 1066, and had a conſiderable eſtate in lands conferred on him, for his ſervices in that expedition; and particularly, the lordſhip of Churchill in the county of Somerſet, which became the principal ſeat of the family, and from whence he took his ſurname.

Sir Winſton Churchill, father of John, firſt Duke of Marlborough, had ſeven ſons, viz.

1. Winſton.
2. John.
3. George.
4. Charles.
5. Montjoy.
6. Jaſper.
7. Theobald.

And four daughters, of which

Arabella (the eldeſt) had by King James II. James Fitzjames Duke of Berwick; and a daughter Henrietta, married to Henry Lord Waldgrave.

Winſton, Montjoy, and Jaſper, died young; Theobald entered into holy orders, and died in 1685.

Charles,

Charles, the fourth ſon, was brigadier-general at the battle of Steinkirk, 1691; and, in 1693, at the battle of Landen, took the Duke of Berwick priſoner: he was general of foot at the battle of Hockſtet in 1704, to which victory he contributed conſiderably. He married Mary, daughter of James Gould of Dorcheſter, Eſq; by whom he had no iſſue, and died in 1716: George, the third ſon, was made admiral of the Blue, in the reign of Queen Anne, but died on May 8, 1710, unmarried.

John, the eldeſt ſurviving ſon, was born on May 24, 1650: he was firſt page of honour to James Duke of York; then had a pair of colours in the foot-guards, in Sir Charles Lyttleton's regiment, and ſerved abroad, in Tangier, when that town was beſieged by the Moors: he ſerved afterwards under the Duke of Monmouth, who commanded that body of Engliſh which joined the French, in the invaſion of the United Provinces, in 1672; he was captain of the Engliſh grenadiers at the attack of the counterſcarp of Maeſtricht, where he was wounded; and was thereupon made lieutenant-colonel, and afterwards colonel of dragoons; and in 1682 he was created Baron of Aymouth in Scotland, and made colonel of the third troop of horſe-guards: in 1685, 1 Jac. II. he was created Baron of Sandridge in the county of Hertford, and being made brigadier-general, ſignalized himſelf in the battle fought with the Duke of Monmouth, at Sedgmore in Somerſetſhire: he abandoned King James, at the revolution, and joined the Prince of Orange, who made him lieutenant-general; and on April 9, 1689, King William created him Earl of Marlborough; in 1690, he was made general of the forces ſent to Ireland, where he reduced the towns of Cork and Kinſale, making the garriſons priſoners of war; and in the year 1691, made a campaign in Flanders; however, the year following he was diſmiſſed from all his employments, on a preſumption that he

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and his Counteſs were too zealouſly attached to the ſervice of the Princeſs Anne, particularly in promoting a bill in parliament for ſettling a revenue on that Princeſs. The Earl remained unemployed until after the peace of Ryſwick; but in 1698 he was called to council again, and made governor to his Royal Highneſs the Duke of Glouceſter; in the year 1701, King William conſtituted the Earl general of foot, and commander in chief of the Engliſh forces in the Netherlands, as alſo ambaſſador-extraordinary and plenipotentiary in Holland.

On the acceſſion of Queen Anne to the throne, he was immediately declared captain general of all her forces in England, or which were employed abroad in conjunction with the troops of her Majeſty's allies, as alſo maſter-general of the ordnance.

In the year 1701 he took the towns of Venlow, Ruremond, Stevenſwaert, and Liege; whereupon the States-General made him generaliſſimo of their forces. In 1702 he was created Duke of Marlborough by Q. Anne, and 5000*l. per ann.* ſettled upon him for life. In 1704 he led the confederate army from the Netherlands to the Danube, and obtained that memorable victory at Hockſtet, over the united forces of the French and Bavarians, when he took the French general, marſhal Tallard, priſoner, with upwards of 13000 French and Bavarians, twenty thouſand of the enemy being killed, or drowned in the Danube; there were taken alſo one hundred pieces of cannon, twenty-four mortars, one hundred and twenty-nine colours, one hundred and ſeventy-one ſtandards, with the enemy's tents, treaſure, baggage, and ammunition: upon which victory, the emperor Leopold created him Prince of Mindelheim in Swabia; and the commons of England addreſſed her Majeſty Queen Anne, to grant him the manor and honor of Woodſtock, which were ſettled on his Grace and his heirs by act of parliament, in March 1704-5.

On May 23, 1706, N. S. his Grace obtained that memorable victory of Ramillies, and reduced moſt of the Spaniſh Netherlands, the ſame campaign.

In July 1708, his Grace obtained the victory of Oudenard, took Liſle, and recovered the cities of Ghent and Bruges, which had been ſurpriſed by the French in the beginning of the year.

In 1709, he obtained that ſignal victory of Blaregnies, or Malplaquet, near Mons; and the ſame campaign, and the following, took Mons, Doway, and ſeveral other ſtrong towns on the frontiers of the French Netherlands.

The ſaid Duke of Marlborough, great-grand-father of the preſent Duke, married Sarah, daughter of Richard Jennings of Sandridge, in the county of Hertford, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue one ſon, named John, who died at Cambridge, anno 1705, and four daughters, viz.

1. Lady Henrietta (married to Francis Earl of Godolphin) who dying in Oct. 1733, left no iſſue male.

2. Lady Anne, the ſecond daughter, married Charles Spencer Earl of Sunderland; by whom ſhe had iſſue, Charles the late Duke.

3. Lady Elizabeth, who married Scroop Egerton, late Duke of Bridgwater.

4. Lady Mary, who married his Grace John the late Duke of Montague, who left no iſſue by her.

His Grace John Duke of Marlborough, died on June 16, 1722, in the 73d year of his age.

Charles Earl of Sunderland, father of the late Duke of Marlborough, married to his firſt lady, Arabella Cavendiſh, youngeſt daughter and coheir of his Grace Henry late Duke of Newcaſtle; and dying in June 1698, left Frances, his only daughter, who was married to Henry, late Earl of Carliſle. The ſaid Charles Earl of Sunderland married to his ſecond lady, Anne Churchill, ſecond daughter and coheir to

his Grace John Duke of Marlborough; and by her he had iſſue four ſons and two daughters, viz.

1. Robert Lord Spencer, born December 9, 1700, who died in his infancy.

2. Robert late Earl of Sunderland.

3. Charles, the late Duke of Marlborough, and Earl of Sunderland.

4. John, born May 13, 1708, was married, Feb. 14, 1733-4, to the Lady Georgina-Carolina, third daughter to the preſent Earl of Granville, and by her had iſſue, John, born Dec. 6, 1734, and a daughter, who died young. The Hon. John Spencer, dying anno ———, his widow and relict married, in 1750, William Lord Cowper. The Lady Anne Spencer, the only ſurviving daughter of the ſaid Charles late Earl of Sunderland, married William Lord Viſcount Bateman, by whom ſhe had iſſue two ſons.

The Right Hon. Robert Earl of Sunderland, great-grandfather of the preſent Duke of Marlborough, was ſecretary of ſtate in the reign of King Charles II. preſident of the council in the reign of King James II. and afterwards lord chamberlain, in the reign of King William III.

This family derive their pedigree from a younger branch of the ancient barons Spencer, among whom were the two Hugh de Spencers, father and ſon, favourites of King Edward II.

Arms.] Quarterly, argent and gules, in the ſecond and third, a fret, or; over all, on a bend, ſable, three eſcallops of the firſt.

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, or, a gryphon's head between two wings erected, argent, gorged with a plain collar, gules, beaked, or.

Supporters.] The dexter a gryphon, party per feſs, argent and or, ſiniſter, a wyvern, argent, wings expanded, each collared and chained, ſable; each collar charged with three eſcallops, argent.

Motto.] *Dieu defend le droit.*

Chief Seats.] At Blenheim, and Cornbury, in Oxfordſhire; Langley-Park in Bucks; Pall-mall, London.

13. MANNERS, DUKE OF RUTLAND.

THE moſt noble Prince JOHN MANNERS, Duke of RUTLAND, Marquis of Granby, Baron Roos of Hamlake, Truſbut and Belvoir, and Baron Manners of Haddon, lord ſteward of his Majeſty's houſehold, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Leiceſter, knight of the moſt noble order of the garter, and one of the lords of his Majeſty's privy-council, ſucceeded his father in honours and eſtate in 1720: his Grace was born Oct. 21, 1696; and on Aug. 27, 1717, married Bridget, only daughter and heir of Robert Sutton Lord Lexington, by whom he had iſſue ſeven ſons and ſix daughters, of which are living,

1. John Marquis of Granby, lieutenant-general of the ordnance, and lieutenant-general of his Majeſty's forces, colonel of the royal regiment of horſeguards, was, Aug. 25, 1759, appointed commander in chief of the Engliſh forces under Duke Ferdinand of Brunſwick in Germany: he was born in January 1720-21, married, in September 1750, to the Lady Frances Seymour, eldeſt daughter of the late Charles Duke of Somerſet; by which Lady, who died Jan. 25, 1760, he had iſſue two ſons, John Lord Roos, born Aug. 22, 1751, died June 3, 1760; Charles, born March 15, 1754; and three daughters, Frances, born March 24, 1753; Catharine, born March 28, 1755; and another daughter born Aug. 22, 1756, but died in January following; alſo another ſon born Feb. 6, 1758.

2. Lord Robert Sutton, born Feb. 2, 1721-2.

3. Lord George, born March 8, 1722-3, married, Dec. 1749, to Diana, daughter of Thomas Chaplain, of Blankley in the county of Lancaſter, Eſq; by whom he hath iſſue,

1. George, born Aug. 1, 1751.
2. John, born July 12, 1752.
3. Robert, born Jan. 5, 1754.
4. Charles, born Feb. 14, 1755.

The daughters died unmarried, and the Ducheſs, their mother, died in June 1734.

The late Duke, John, father of the preſent Duke, was born in Sept. 1676: he married his firſt wife, Catharine, ſecond daughter of William Lord Ruſſel, and ſiſter of Wriotheſley, father of the Duke of Bedford, in 1693; by whom he had iſſue,

1. John, the preſent Duke.
2. Lord William Manners.
3. Lord Thomas, who died unmarried, 1723.
4. Lord Edward, who died young.
5. Lady Catharine, married, in 1726, to the late Right Hon. Henry Pelham, Eſq; brother to the Duke of Newcaſtle.
6. Lady Rachel, who died young.
7. Lady Frances, married, in 1732, to Richard Arundel, Eſq;
8. Lady Elizabeth, married to John Monkton, Viſcount Galway of the kingdom of Ireland.

His Grace married to his ſecond wife the Lady Lucy, ſiſter to Bennet Sherrard, late Earl of Harborough, in 1712; by whom he had iſſue,

1. Lord Sherrard Manners, who died in 1742.
2. Lord Robert Manners, colonel of the 36th regiment of foot, and lieutenant-general of his Majeſty's forces. He married, Jan. 1, 1756, Miſs Digges, of Groſvenor-ſquare, by whom he had a daughter, born Nov. 20, 1756, and another daughter, born Jan. 2, 1758.
3. Lord Henry, who died in 1745.

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4. Lord Charles, colonel of the 56th regiment of foot, and major-general of his Majeſty's forces.

5. Lord James.

6. Lady Carolina, married firſt, in 1734, to Sir Henry Harpur, Bart. 2dly, July 18, 1753, to Sir Robert Burdett, Bart.

7. Lady Lucy, married anno 1742, to his Grace William Graham, Duke of Montroſe.

This noble family derive their pedigree from Sir Robert Manners, of Hethall in the county of Northumberland, who flouriſhed in the reign of King Henry III.

Arms.] Or, two bars, azure, a chief, quarterly of the ſecond, and gules, the firſt charged with two fleurs de lis, of the firſt, and the laſt with a lion of the ſame, which chief was anciently gules, and the charge thereon is an honorary augmentation, ſhewing his deſcent from the blood royal of king Edward IV.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules, turned up with ermine, a peacock in pride, proper.

Supporters.] Two unicorns, argent; their horns, creſts, tufts, and hoofs, or.

Motto.] *Pour y parvenir.*

Chief Seats.] At Haddon-Hall in Derbyſhire; Belvoir-caſtle in Lincolnſhire; and Averham-park in Nottinghamſhire; Albemarle ſtreet, London.

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14. DOUGLAS, DUKE OF DOVER.

THE moſt noble Prince CHARLES DOUGLAS, Duke of DOVER and Queenſberry, Marquis of Beverley and Solloway, Viſcount Drumlanrig, and Baron of Rippon, was born at Edinburgh, in Nov. 1698. His Grace, in March 1719-20, married the Lady Catharine Hyde, ſecond daughter of Henry Hyde Earl of Rocheſter; by whom he had iſſue two ſons, and a daughter who died young.

1. Henry Marquis of Beverley, born Oct. 30, 1722, married in 1754, the Lady Elizabeth Hope, eldeſt daughter of John Earl of Hopetoun; and coming from Scotland to London, with his father and mother the Duke and Ducheſs, as he was riding over a ploughed field, drew a piſtol and ſhot himſelf, whether deſignedly or by accident is uncertain; whereupon the family returned to Scotland, and buried him. His lady died in April 1756, without iſſue.

2. Lord Charles, born in July 1726, died in Oct. 1756.

James Duke of Queenſberry, father of the preſent Duke, was born Dec. 18, 1662; and in the year 1708 was created, by Queen Anne, a peer of this realm, by the title of Duke of Dover, Marquis of Beverley, and Baron of Rippon. His Grace married, on Dec. 1, 1685, the Hon. Mary Boyle, ſecond daughter of Charles Lord Clifford, eldeſt ſon of Richard Earl of Burlington; by whom he had iſſue, beſides the preſent Duke, two daughters,

1, Jane, married, in 1720, to the Earl of Dalkeith, (*See Doncaſter Earl.*)

2. Anne, married, in 1732, to the Hon. William Finch, Eſq; and died without iſſue.

Beſides which, he had other children, who died unmarried.

[*For a more ample account of this family, we refer the reader to the title of Duke of Queensberry in the ſecond volume of this work, containing a View of the Families of the Scottiſh Nobility.*]

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, argent, a heart, gules, crowned with an imperial crown, or, on a chief, azure, three mullets of the field, for Douglas; ſecond and third, azure, a bend between ſix croſs croſlets, fitche, or, for the earldom of Mar; the whole within a bordure, or, charged within a double treſſure fleury and counter-fleury of the ſecond, being an augmentation, as is alſo the heart in the firſt quarter, uſed in memory

memory of the pilgrimage made by Sir James Douglas, anceſtor of his Grace, to the Holy Land, with the heart of King Robert Bruce, in the year 1330, which was there interred according to that King's deſire: and the double treſſure was added by King Charles II. when he honoured the family with the marquiſate of Queenſberry, the bordure before that time being borne only plain.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a heart between two wings, gules, crowned with an imperial crown, or.

Supporters.] Two pegaſuſſes, argent, wings, creſts, tails, and hoofs, or.

Motto.] *Forward.*

Chief Seats.] At Drumlanrig in the county of Dumfries; Ameſbury in the county of Wilts; and Burlington-gardens, London.

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15. HAMILTON, DUKE OF BRANDON.

THE moſt noble Prince JAMES HAMILTON, Duke of BRANDON and HAMILTON, Marquis of Hamilton, and Baron of Dutton, born Feb. 18, 1755, ſucceeded his father James, the late Duke, Jan. 17, 1758.

James the late Duke, ſucceeded James his father in March, 1742-3. He married, Feb. 14, 1752, Elizabeth, ſecond daughter of John Gunning, Eſq; by his wife Bridget, daughter of John Lord Viſcount Mayo of the kingdom of Ireland; by which Lady, (who married, ſecondly, March 3, 1759, colonel John Campbell, eldeſt ſon of lieutenant-general John Campbell, by whom ſhe had a ſon and heir, born March 31, 1760) he left iſſue the preſent Duke, and a ſecond ſon, born July 24, 1756, and two daughters.

James Duke of Hamilton and Brandon, grandfather of the preſent Duke, married to his firſt wife a daughter of John Cochran Earl of Dundonald; by whom he had only one ſon, James the late Duke;

and ſhe dying in Aug. 1724, his Grace married in 1727, his ſecond wife, Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Thomas Strangeways, of Dorſetſhire, Eſq; who dying in Nov. 1729, without iſſue, his Grace married his third wife, Elizabeth, the daughter and heir of Edward Spencer, Eſq; by whom he had a ſon, born in 1740.

James Duke of Hamilton, great-grandfather of the preſent Duke, was, by Queen Anne, created a peer of Great Britain, by the title of Duke of Brandon and Baron of Dutton, Sept. 10, 1711. His Grace married his firſt wife, the Lady Anne Spencer, daughter of Robert Earl of Sunderland; by whom he had two daughters that died young; and this lady dying, he married his ſecond wife, Elizabeth, daughter and ſole heireſs of Digby Lord Gerrard; by whom he had iſſue,

1. James, the late Duke's father.

2. Lady Elizabeth, and Lady Catharine, who died young.

4. Lady Charlotte.

5. Lord William, who married, in 1732, Anne, daughter of Francis Hawes, Eſq;

His Grace was made a knight of the order of the garter, as well as of the thiſtle, by Queen Anne, who declared ſhe would wear both orders herſelf: and on the concluſion of the peace of Utrecht, 1714, ſhe appointed him her ambaſſador-extraordinary to the court of France: but as he was about to ſet out for that kingdom, he fought a duel with Lord Mohun, wherein they were both killed. Some ſuſpected the Duke was killed unfairly by Gen. Maccartney, Lord Mohun's ſecond; but he took his trial after the acceſſion of King George, and was acquitted.

[*For a more particular account of this family conſult the ſecond volume of this work, containing an account of the Peerage of Scotland, under the title of Duke of Hamilton.*]

Arms.] Quarterly, 1ſt and 4th, gules, three cinquefoils, ermine 2d and 3d, argent; a ſhip having her ſails furled, ſable.

Creſt.] Or, an oak fructed, proper, having a frame-ſaw, tranſverſly fixed in the body of the firſt.

Supporters.] Two antelopes, argent, armed and gorged, with ducal coronets, or, chains affixed to the coronets, and their hoofs of the ſecond.

Motto.] *Through.*

Chief Seats.] At Hamilton in the county of Lanerk; and Kennel in the county of Stirling.

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16. BERTIE, DUKE OF ANCASTER.

THE moſt noble Prince PEREGRINE BERTIE, Duke of ANCASTER and KESTEVEN, Marquis and Earl of Lindſey, Baron Willoughby of Eresby; lord great chamberlain of England; by inheritance, a lord of the bed-chamber to his Majeſty, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Lincoln, one of the lords of his Majeſty's privy-council, lieutenant-general of his Majeſty's forces, recorder of Boſton, and keeper of Waltham-foreſt in the ſaid county, ſucceeded his father Peregrine, the late Duke, Jan. 1, 1742. He married, May 22, 1735, Elizabeth, daughter and ſole heir to William Blundell of Baſingſtoke in the county of Southampton, Eſq; and relict of Sir Charles Gunter Nichol, by whom he had no iſſue. Upon her deceaſe he married to his ſecond wife, Nov. 27, 1750, Mary, daughter of Thomas Panton, Eſq; maſter of the King's running-horſes; by whom he has one daughter, born April 15, 1754, and a ſon named Peregrine, born May 21, 1755, who died Dec. 12, 1758; alſo another ſon, born in Nov. 1756, and a third ſon, born Sept. 14, 1759, who is ſince dead.

His Grace Peregrine Duke of Ancaſter, father of the preſent Duke, was born April 29, 1686. He married Jane, one of the daughters and coheirs to Sir John Brownlow, of Belton, Bart. by whom he had iſſue, beſides the preſent Duke,

1. Lord Albemarle.

2. Lord Brownlow; both unmarried.

His daughters were,

1. Lady Mary, married to Samuel Greathead, Eſq;

2. Lady Albina, married to John Beckford, Eſq; on March 8, 1744; and died in March 1754.

3. Lady Jane, married to Capt. Matthews.

4. Lady Carolina, married, March 31, 1753, to George Dawar, Eſq;

5. Lady Anne, died in Aug. 1735.

This noble family came into England with the Saxons, who made a conqueſt of South Britain, in the 5th century; and had a caſtle conferred on them by one of the Saxon kings, from them denominated Bertieſtad, now Berſted, near Maidſtone in Kent.

Arms.] Argent, three battering rams, barways, armed and garniſhed, azure.

Creſt.] On a wreath, the buſto of a king (named Barbicon) couped at the breaſt, proper, crowned ducally, or, being the creſt of the Barons Willoughby. Their creſt, as Bertie, is a pine-tree, proper.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a pilgrim, or fryar, veſted in ruſſet, with his ſtaff and pater-noſter, or. On the ſiniſter, a ſavage wreathed about the temples and middle, with ivy, all proper.

Motto.] *Loyaulte me oblige.*

Chief Seats.] At Grimſthorpe in the county of Lincoln; and Berkley-ſquare, London.

17. PIERREPONT, DUKE OF KINGSTON.

THE moſt noble Prince EVELYN PIERREPONT, Duke of KINGSTON, Marquis of Dorcheſter, Earl of Kingſton, Viſcount Newark, and Baron Pierrepont, lieutenant-general of his Majeſty's forces, and knight of the moſt noble order of the garter, ſucceeded his grandfather, Evelyn Duke of Kingſton, March 5, 1725-6; William, father of the preſent Duke, dying in the life-time of his grandfather. His Grace is yet unmarried.

William Pierrepont, father of the preſent Duke, was born Oct. 21, 1692; and died in the one and twentieth year of his age, on July 1, 1713, leaving iſſue by Rachel his wife, daughter of Thomas Baynton, Eſq;

Evelyn, the preſent Duke of Kingſton; and

An only daughter, Lady Frances, married to Philip Meadows, Knt. by whom ſhe had iſſue five ſons and one daughter, viz.

1. Evelyn.
2. Charles.
3. William.
4. Edward.
5. Thomas.
6. Frances.

This Duke's grandfather was the fifth Earl of Kingſton, the ſecond Marquis of Dorcheſter, and was created Duke, July 20, 1715, 1 Geo. I.

This noble family derive their pedigree from Robert de Pierrepont, of Norman extraction, who attended William the Conqueror in his invaſion of England, in the year 1066.

Arms.] Argent, ſemé of cinqfoils, gules; a lion rampant, ſable.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a lion rampant, ſable; between two wings erect, argent.

Supporters.] Two lions, ſable, armed and languid, gules.

Motto.] *Pie repone te.*

Chief Seats.] Holme-Pierrepont, Thoresby-park in Nottinghamſhire; Tong-caſtle in the county of Salop; Bradford in the county of Wilts; and at Hanſlope in Bucks; and Arlington-ſtreet, London.

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18. PELLAM HOLLES, DUKE OF NEWCASTLE.

THE moſt noble Prince THOMAS PELHAM HOLLES, Duke of NEWCASTLE, and Duke of Newcaſtle-Under-Line in the County of Stafford, Marquis and Earl of Clare, Viſcount Haughton, and Baron Pelham of Laughton, and Baronet; lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Middleſex, and city and liberty of Weſtminſter, and county of Nottingham; ſteward, keeper, and warden of the foreſt of Sherwood, and park of Folewood, in the county of Nottingham; firſt lord commiſſioner of the Treaſury, one of the governors of the Charterhouſe, knight of the moſt noble order of the garter, chancellor of the univerſity of Cambridge, and fellow of the Royal Society.

His Grace was born July 21, 1694; and by the laſt will and teſtament of his uncle John Holles, Duke of Newcaſtle, who died July 15, 1711, was adopted his heir, and authoriſed to bear the name and arms of Holles.

On Oct. 26, 1714, King George I. created him Earl of Clare in the county of Suffolk, and Viſcount Haughton in Nottinghamſhire, with remainder to the Hon. Henry Pelham his brother, and his male heirs; and in 1715, he was created Marquis and Duke of Newcaſtle, with the remainder to the Hon. Henry Pelham, his brother.

His Grace was married, April 2, 1717, to the Lady Harriot Godolphin, daughter of the Right Hon.

Francis

Francis Earl of Godolphin, by the Lady Henrietta his wife, eldeſt daughter and coheir of his Grace John late Duke of Marlborough; and on the 13th of April following, was declared lord chamberlain of his Majeſty's houſhold, and ſworn of the privy-council the 16th of April; alſo at a chapter held at St. James's the 31ſt of March, 1718, was elected one of the knights of the garter, and inſtalled at Windſor the 30th of April following.

On April 2, 1724, his Grace reſigning his poſt of lord chamberlain, was declared one of his Majeſty's principal ſecretaries of ſtate.

Henry Pelham, his only brother, married, Oct. 29, 1726, the Lady Catharine Manners, ſiſter of John late Duke of Rutland; by whom he had iſſue two ſons, viz.

1. Thomas, who died young.
2. Henry, who alſo died young.

And ſix daughters, viz.

3 Catharine, born July 24, 1727, married in 1744, to Henry Earl of Lincoln, and died July 27, 1760.

4. Frances, born Aug. 18, 1728, married in Oct. 1752, to Lewis Watſon, Eſq; brother to the Lord Monſon, now Lord Sondes.

5. Grace, born in Jan. 1734-5.
6. Mary, born in Sept. 1739.
7. Lucy. And
8. Dorothy; both deceaſed.

The Right Hon. Henry Pelham, Eſq; only brother to his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle, firſt lord commiſſioner of the Treaſury, and prime miniſter, died March 6, 1754.

His Grace, beſides his ſaid brother, had five ſiſters.

1. Grace, who married George Naylor, Eſq; died in 1710.

2. Frances, married, in 1715, to Chriſtopher Lord Viſcount Caſtlecomer of the kingdom of Ireland.

3. Gertrude, married to David Polhill, Eſq; ſince

4. Lucy, married to the Right Hon. Henry Clinton Earl of Lincoln.

5. Margaret, married to Sir John Shelly, Bart. and died Nov. 23, 1758.

The anceſtors of this noble Duke took their name from the lordſhip of Pelham in Hertfordſhire, of which they appear to have been poſſeſſed in the reign of Henry III.

Arms.] Quarterly, in the firſt and fourth, three pelicans, argent (the arms of Pelham); and in the ſecond and third, ermine, two piles, in point, ſable, the arms of Holles.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a peacock in his pride, argent; and ſometimes a buckle, argent; in memory of Sir John Pelham's taking King John of France priſoner.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a bay horſe; on the ſiniſter, a bear, proper; each collared or gorged with a belt, argent; buckle and ſtuds, or.

Motto.] *Vincit amor patriæ.*

Chief Seats.] At Claremont in Surrey; at Nottingham-caſtle, and Haughton, in Nottinghamſhire; at Biſhopſtone in the county of Suſſex; and Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, London.

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19. BENTINCK, DUKE OF PORTLAND.

THE moſt noble Prince WILLIAM BENTINCK, Duke of PORTLAND, Marquis of Tichfield, Viſcount Woodſtock, and Baron of Cirenceſter, and knight of the moſt noble order of the garter, preſident of the Lying-in-Hoſpital for married women in Brownlow-ſtreet, Long-Acre, London, and fellow of the Royal Society, born in March 1708-9, ſucceeded Henry, the late Duke, July 4, 1726, and married, July 11, 1734, the Lady Margaret Cavendiſh Harley

only daughter and heir of Edward Earl of Oxford, by whom he had iſſue,

1. Lady Elizabeth married, May 22, 1759, to Thomas the preſent Viſcount Weymouth.

2. Lady Henrietta.

3. William-Henry, Marquis of Tichfield, born April 14, 1738.

4. Lady Margaret, who died April 28, 1756.

5. Lady Frances, who died in March 1742. And,

6. Lord Edward-Charles, born March 3, 1744.

William Earl of Portland, grandfather of the preſent Duke, was page of honour to the Prince of Orange (William III. King of Great Britain.) He was afterwards gentleman of the bedchamber to that Prince, who ſent him into England to negotiate a marriage between his Royal Highneſs and the Princeſs Mary, eldeſt daughter of the then Duke of York, in 1677. He attended the Prince into England in his expedition of 1688; and, it is ſaid, was principally relied on in that enterprize. Soon after his maſter aſcended the Britiſh throne, viz. on April 19, 1689, he was created Baron of Cirenceſter, Viſcount Woodſtock, and Earl of Portland. He alſo received a grant of the lordſhips of Denbigh, Bromfield, and Yale, and other lands, comprehending the beſt part of one of the counties of Wales; but that grant was reſumed, on an addreſs of the houſe of commons for that purpoſe. He negotiated the peace of Ryſwick with Marſhal Boufflers between the two armies, in 1697, and on the concluſion of that peace was ſent ambaſſador to France. One hundred and thirty-five thouſand acres of the forfeited eſtates in Ireland were granted to the Earl of Portland; but reſumed by the Britiſh parliament, anno 1699.

This William Earl of Portland, grandfather of the preſent Earl, married, to his firſt wife, Anne, daughter of Sir Edward Villiers, knight, and ſiſter to Edward

ward Earl of Jerſey, by whom he had iſſue three ſons and five daughters, viz.

1. William, who died in his infancy.

2. Henry, ſecond ſon, afterwards Earl and Duke of Portland.

3. Alſo another William, who died young in Holland.

4. Lady Mary, eldeſt daughter, married to Algernoon Earl of Eſſex, and ſince his deceaſe to the Hon. Conyers D'arcy, Eſq; only brother to Robert late Earl of Holderneſs.

5. Lady Anna Margaretta, ſecond daughter, married to Monſ. Duyvenvorde, one of the principal nobles of Holland.

6. Lady Frances Williamyna, third daughter, married to William Lord Byron, and died March 31, 1712.

7. Lady Eleanora, fourth daughter, died unmarried.

8. Lady Iſabella, youngeſt daughter, married to Evelyn Pierrepont, Duke of Kingſton, and died on Feb. 23, 1727-8.

His Lordſhip, on May 16, 1700, married his ſecond wife, Jane, ſixth daughter of Sir John Temple, of Eaſt-Sheen in the county of Surrey, Bart. ſiſter to Henry Lord Viſcount Palmerſton, and widow of John Lord Berkeley, of Stratton; and by her (who died March 26, 1751) had two ſons and four daughters.

1. William, now one of the nobles of Holland.

2. Charles-John, an officer in the army of the States-General.

3. Lady Sophia, married, March 24, 1738-9, to his Grace Henry de Grey, late Duke of Kent.

4. Lady Elizabeth, married to Dr. Henry Egerton, biſhop of Hereford, brother to his Grace Scroop Duke of Bridgewater.

5. Lady Harriot, married to James Hamilton, Viſcount Limerick, of the kingdom of Ireland.

6. Lady

6. Lady Barbara, married to William Godolphin, Eſq; and died April 15, 1736.

The eldeſt ſon Henry Earl of Portland, father of the preſent Duke, married, June 9, 1704, the Lady Elizabeth Noel, eldeſt daughter and coheir of Wriothesley Baptiſt, Earl of Gainſborough. He was created, by his late Majeſty, Marquis of Tichfield, Hampſhire, and Duke of Portland, by letters patent, bearing date July 6, 1716. On Sept. 29, 1721, he was appointed captain-general, and governor of the iſland of Jamaica; where he died, July 4, 1726, in the 45th year of his age. Her Grace accompanied him to Jamaica, and came over with his remains. They had ſeveral children, of which two ſons and three daughters ſurvived them.

1. William, now Duke of Portland; and

2. Lord George, a colonel of foot, who died March 2, 1759.

3. Lady Anne, married to lieutenant-colonel Daniel Paul, died in Jan. 1748-9.

4. Lady Iſabella, married, Nov. 8, 1739, to Henry Monk, Eſq; of the kingdom of Ireland.

5. Lady Amelia, married to Jacob Arran Van Waſſenar, one of the nobles of Holland, died in Jan. 1756.

Arms.] Azure, a croſs moline, argent.

Creſt.] Out of a marquis's coronet, proper, two arms counter, embowed and veſted, gules; gloved, or; and holding each an oſtrich-feather, argent.

Supporters.] Two lions double queveé; the dexter, proper; the other, ſable.

Motto.] *Craignez houte.*

Chief Seats.] At Bulſtrode in Buckinghamſhire; Welbeck in Nottinghamſhire; and Privy-Gardens, Weſtminſter.

20. MONTAGU, DUKE OF MANCHESTER.

THE moſt noble ROBERT MONTAGU, Duke and Earl of MANCHESTER, Viſcount Mandeville, Baron Montagu of Kimbolton, one of the lords of his Majeſty's bedchamber, and lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Huntingdon, ſucceeded his brother, the late Duke William, in Oct. 1739. He was married on April 3, 1735, to Harriot, daughter of Edmund Dunch, Eſq: who dying in Feb. 1755, left iſſue,

1. George Lord Viſc. Mandeville, born Ap. 6, 1737.
2. Lord Charles, born May 29, 1741.
3. Lady Caroline, born Feb. 19, 1735-6.
4. Lady Louiſa, born in July 1740, and died unmarried.

Charles Earl of Mancheſter, father of the preſent and late Dukes, was, on April 30, 1719, created Duke of Mancheſter. His Grace married Dodington, the youngeſt of the two daughters and coheirs of Robert Greville, Lord Brooke; by whom he had iſſue, beſides the late and preſent Dukes,

1. Lady Anne, who died unmarried.
2. Lady Dodington; and,
3. Lady Elizabeth, both unmarried.
4. Lady Charlotte, married to Pattee Byng, late Lord Viſcount Torrington, by whom ſhe had no iſſue.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, argent, three lozenges, conjoined in feſs, gules, within a border, ſable, with a creſcent, for difference, for Montagu; ſecond and third, or, an eagle diſplayed, vert, beaked and membered, gules, for Montherмer.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a gryphon's head, couped, or; wings indorſed, ſable; gorged with a collar, argent, charged with three lozenges, gules.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, an antelope, or; armed, creſted, and hoofed, argent. On the ſiniſter, a gryphon of the firſt, gorged, with a collar, argent; charged with three fuſils, gules.

Motto.] *Diſponendo me non mutando me.*

Chief Seats.] At Kimbolton-caſtle, in the county of Huntingdon; and Berkley-ſquare, London.

21. BRYDGES, DUKE OF CHANDOS.

THE moſt noble Prince HENRY BRYDGES, Duke of CHANDOS, Marquis and Earl of Carnarvon, Viſcount Wilton, and Baron Chandos of Sudley, baronet and knight of the Bath, clerk of the hanaper, and high-ſteward of the city of Wincheſter, ſucceeded his father James, the late Duke, Aug. 9, 1744; and Dec. 21, 1728, married Mary, eldeſt daughter of Charles Lord Bruce, by whom he had iſſue one ſon and a daughter, viz. James Marquis of Carnarvon, born Dec. 27, 1731, and married March 22, 1753, to Margaret, daughter and heir of John Nichol, of Southgate in the county of Middleſex; and Lady Caroline, born March 29, 1729-30, and married, March 17, 1755, to John Leigh, Eſq; of Addleſthrape in Glouceſterſhire. The Ducheſs dying in 1738, his Grace married for his ſecond wife, in 1745, Mrs. Anne Wells, by which lady, who died Aug. 12, 1759, he hath iſſue Lady Auguſta, born Oct. 6, 1748.

James, the father of the preſent Duke, was created Viſcount Wilton, and Earl of Carnarvon, Oct. 19, 1714; and Marquis of Carnarvon, and Duke of Chandos, April 30, 1719. He married Mary, the daughter of Sir Thomas Lake, of Cannons in the county of Middleſex, Knt. in 1696, by whom he had ſeveral ſons and daughters; but Henry, the preſent Duke, only ſurvived him. He married to his ſecond wife

Caſſandra Willoughby, ſiſter of the Lord Middleton, by whom he had no iſſue; after whoſe death he married to his third wife Lydia-Catharine, widow of Sir Thomas Davel, by whom he left no iſſue.

The anceſtors of this noble family took their name from the city of Bruges, or Brugge, in Flanders; and one of them came over with William the Conqueror, and had a conſiderable ſhare in the victory obtained near Haſtings in Suſſex, 1066.

Arms.] Argent, on a croſs, a leopard's head, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath, the buſt of an old man, ſide-faced, proper, wreathed about the temples, argent and azure, veſted paly of the firſt, and gules and ſemi of roundles counterchanged, the cape ermine; and on his head is a cap, or, lined with white fur.

Supporters.] Two otters, argent.

Motto.] *Main tein la droit.*

Chief Seats.] At Wilton-caſtle in Herefordſhire, and Aconbury in the ſame county; at Biddeſden near Luggerſhell in Wiltſhire; and Upper Brook-ſtreet, London.

22. SACKVILLE, DUKE OF DORSET.

THE moſt noble Prince LIONEL CRANFIELD SACKVILLE, Duke of the county of DORSET, Earl of Dorſet and Middleſex, Baron Buckhurſt, and Baron Cranfield, lord warden and admiral of the cinque-ports, governor of Dover-caſtle, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Kent, and of the city of Canterbury, and vice-admiral of the ſaid county of Kent, high-ſteward of Stratford-upon-Avon, and the borough of Tamworth, a governor of the Charter-houſe, one of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy-council, and knight of the moſt noble order of the garter, ſucceeded his father, the late Earl Charles, in 1705-6. His Grace was born January 18, 1687-8, and created Duke of Dorſet,

Dorſet, January 13, 1720. He married in January 1708-9, Elizabeth, daughter of lieutenant-general Philip Colyear, by whom he had iſſue,

1. Lady Anne, who died in the eleventh year of her age.

2. Charles Earl of Middleſex, born in Feb. 1710-11; who married Grace, daughter and ſole heir of Richard Boyle, Lord Viſcount Shannon of the kingdom of Ireland.

3. Lady Elizabeth, married, in 1726, to Thomas Lord Viſcount Weymouth; but died before they cohabited.

4. Lord John-Philip, born in 1713, married to Lady Frances, fourth daughter to Earl Gower.

5. Lord George, born Jan. 26, 1715-16, married, in Sept. 1754, to Diana, ſecond daughter and coheir of John Sambroke, Eſq;

6. Lady Caroline, married to Joſeph Damer, Eſq; now Low Lord Milton in Ireland, July 27, 1742.

Charles Earl of Dorſet, father to the preſent Duke, was born Jan. 24, 1637. He married the Lady Elizabeth, daughter of Harvey Bagot, and widow of Charles Berkley, Earl of Falmouth; who dying without iſſue, he married, March 7, 1684-5, the Lady Mary, daughter of James Compton, Earl of Northampton, by whom he had iſſue,

1. Lionel, the preſent Duke; and,

2. The Lady Mary, married, in 1702, to Henry Somerſet, Duke of Beaufort, and died in child-bed in 1705, leaving no iſſue.

The anceſtors of this family were lords of the town and ſeigniory of Sackville in Normandy, and came over with the Conqueror, when he invaded England, 1066.

Arms.] Quarterly, or and gules, a bend over all, vaire.

Creſt.]

Creſt.] Out of a ducal coronet, or, an eſtoile of eight points, argent.

Supporters.] Two leopards, argent; ſpotted, ſable.

Motto.] *Aut nunquam tentes, aut perfice.*

Chief Seats.] At Knowle in Kent; at Buckhurſt in Suſſex; at Croxhall in Derbyſhire; and the Cockpit, Whitehall, Weſtminſter.

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23. EGERTON, DUKE OF BRIDGWATER.

THE moſt noble FRANCIS EGERTON, Duke of BRIDGWATER, and Marquis of Brackley, Earl of Bridgwater, Viſcount Brackley, and Baron of Elleſmere, was born in May 1736, ſucceeded the late Duke John his brother in 1747-8; and is unmarried.

Scroop, the father of the late and preſent Dukes, married the Lady Elizabeth Churchill, third daughter of John Duke of Marlborough, by whom he had iſſue,

1. John Lord Viſcount Brackley, who died at Eaton-ſchool.

2. Another ſon, who died ſoon after he was born. And one daughter, viz.

3. Lady Anne, who, on April 22, 1725, married Wriotheſley Ruſſel, late Duke of Bedford; after whoſe death ſhe married William now Earl of Jerſey, and has iſſue. [*See Jerſey Earl.*]

Scroop, the late Duke of Bridgwater, having buried his firſt wife, married the Lady Rachel Ruſſel, daughter to Wriotheſley late Duke of Bedford, by whom he had iſſue,

1. Lady Louiſa, born in 1723; married, in 1748, to Lord Trentham, now Earl Gower, being his ſecond wife, by whom ſhe has iſſue a daughter, named Louiſa.

2. Lady

2. Lady Caroline, born in 1724.

3. Charles Marquis of Brackley, born in 1725; who died in 1731.

4. John Marquis of Brackley, born April 29, 1727, who ſucceeded his father in Jan. 1744-5, and died in 1747-8.

5. Lord William who died ſoon after he was born.

6. Lord Thomas, who died ſoon after he was born.

7. Lady Diana, born in 1731; married, in 1753, to Frederick Lord Baltimore, and died July 18, 1758.

8. Lord Francis, the preſent Duke.

This family derive their pedigree from the ancient family of Egerton, deſcended from the Barons of Malpas in Cheſhire.

The preſent Duke is lineally deſcended from Lord Elleſmere, lord high-chancellor of England in the reign of King James I.

Arms.] Argent, a lion rampant, gules, between three pheons heads, ſable.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules, turned up, ermine, a lion rampant of the firſt, holding a pheon, or; headed and feathered, argent.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, an horſe, argent, gorged with a ducal coronet, or. On the ſiniſter, a gryphon ſegreant, or, gorged with a plain collar and chain, azure.

Motto.] *Sic donec.*

Chief Seats.] At Aſhridge, in the county of Bucks; and Cleveland-row, St. James's.

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SHORT VIEW OF THE PEERAGE OF ENGLAND.

1. WENTORTH, MARQUIS OF ROCKINGHAM.

THE moſt noble Prince CHARLES-WATSON WENTWORTH, Marquis of ROCKINGHAM, Earl of Malton, Viſcount Higham of Higham-Ferrers, Baron Rockingham of Rockingham, Baron of Malton, Waith, and Harrowden, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the weſt-riding of the county of York, and cuſtos rotulorum of the north-riding of the ſaid county, vice-admiral of the whole county of York, and the maritime parts thereof, lord of the bed-chamber to his Majeſty, and knight of the moſt noble order of the garter.

He was born May 13, 1730, and, on the death of his father, ſucceeded to his honours. He married, on Feb. 26, 1752, Mary, daughter and heir of Thomas Bright, of Badſworth in the county of York, Eſq;

Thomas, the late Marquis, father of the preſent Marquis of Rockingham, was created Baron of Malton in May 1728; and, in Nov. 1734, was created Earl of Malton, Viſcount Higham of Higham Ferrers, and Baron of Waith and Harrowden; and by the death of Thomas Earl of Rockingham, in Feb. 1745-6, the honour of Baron of Rockingham-caſtle devolved

on him; whereupon he was created Marquis of Rockingham in April 1746. His lordſhip married the Lady Mary Finch, daughter to Daniel late Earl of Winchelſea and Nottingham, by whom he had iſſue, beſides the preſent Marquis, four daughters, viz.

1. Lady Anne, eldeſt daughter, married, June 22, 1744, to the Right Hon. William Earl of Fitz-Williams, &c.
2. Lady Mary, born July 18, 1727.
3. Lady Charlotte, born Feb. 11, 1732; and,
4. Lady Henrietta-Alicia, born Dec. 7, 1737.

The Hon. Thomas Watſon, ſon of Edward Lord Rockingham, by the Lady Anne Wentworth, daughter of Thomas late Earl of Strafford, was grandfather of the preſent Marquis, and took upon him the ſirname of Wentworth.

The Watſon and Wentworth families were united in his lordſhip's great-grandfather Thomas. The noble family of Watſon are deſcended from Edward Watſon, of Lydington in the county of Rutland, who flouriſhed in the reign of King Edward IV.

The Wentworths are of Saxon original, deſcended from Reginald de Wentworth, or Wintewade, ſo called from their manor of Wentworth, in the county of York, where the ſaid Reginald reſided at the time of the conqueſt. The Earl of Strafford, prime miniſter to King Charles I. one of the anceſtors of this noble Marquis, is ſaid to be deſcended from John of Gaunt, fourth ſon of King Edward III. in the patent whereby he was created Earl of Strafford.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, argent, on a chevron ingrailed, azure, between three martlets, ſable, as many creſcents, or, for Watſon; ſecond and third, ſable, a chevron between three leopards faces, or, for Wentworth.

Creſt.] A gryphon's head eraſed, argent, gorged with a ducal coronet, or, for Watſon. A gryphon paſſant,

wings expanded, argent, gorged with a ducal coronet, or, for Wentworth.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a gryphon, argent, gorged with a ducal coronet, or, for Watſon. On the ſiniſter ſide, a lion of the ſecond, for Wentworth.

Mottos.] *Mea gloria fides.* And, *En Dieu eſt tout.*

Chief Seats.] At Wentworth-houſe in the county of York; at Malton in the ſame county; at Great Harrowden in Northamptonſhire; and in Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

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1. TALBOT, EARL OF SHREWSBURY.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE TALBOT, Earl of SHREWSBURY in England, Wexford and Waterford in Ireland, and Baron Talbot, born Dec. 11, 1719, ſucceeded George the late Earl his father, in 1733; and married, Nov. 21, 1753, Elizabeth, daughter of the Hon. John Dormer, of Peterley in Buckinghamſhire.

George, late Earl of Shrewſbury, father of the preſent Earl, married, March 11, 1718-19, Mary, daughter to Thomas Fitz-Williams, Viſcount Fitz-Williams, of Merion in Ireland, by whom he left iſſue ſix ſons and three daughters, viz.

1. George, the preſent Earl.

2. The Hon. Charles Talbot, married to Mary, daughter and coheir of Robert Allwyn of Traford, in the county of Suſſex, Eſq; which Lady died in childbed of a daughter, Mary, June 2, 1750; and he married, ſecondly, April 2, 1752, Mary, daughter of Sir Pierce Moyſton, of Talacre in Flintſhire, Bart. by whom he has a ſon Charles, born March 8, 1753, and a daughter Anne, born March 9, 1754.

3. John.
4. James.
5. Thomas.
6. Francis. And,
7. Gilbert, who died an infant.

8. Lady

8. Lady Barbara, his eldeſt daughter, married, June 30, 1744, to James Lord Aſton, and died at Paris in Nov. 1759.

9. Lady Mary, married, in July 1749, to Charles Dormer, Eſq; ſon and heir to the Hon. John Dormer, of Peterly in Buckingſhire. And,

10. Lady Lucy, who is unmarried.

His Grace Charles, late Duke of Shrewſbury, dying without iſſue in 1717, the titles of Duke and Marquis, which were only granted to him and his heirs male, ceaſed with him; but the Earldom of Shrewſbury devolved on Gilbert Talbot, the eldeſt ſurviving ſon of Thomas Talbot, of Longford, only ſon of John, the tenth Earl of Shrewſbury, by Frances, his ſecond wife, daughter to Thomas Lord Arundel of Wardour; upon whoſe death ſucceeded George the late Earl, his brother.

This family of Talbot, or Talebot, appear to have been poſſeſſed of a large eſtate in England, in the reign of William the Conqueror. In the third of Edward III. Gilbert Talbot, with his eldeſt ſon Richard Talbot, embarked with the King for France. The deſcendants of theſe Talbots had a great ſhare in the victories obtained by the Engliſh in France and Scotland. Sir John Talbot particularly attended King Henry V. in his triumphant entry into Paris; and Sir John Talbot was created Earl of Shrewſbury, 20 Hen. VI. 1442.

Charles, the late Duke of Shrewsbury, was, at the death of Q. Anne, lord lieutenant of Ireland, lord high-treaſurer of Great Britain, and lord chamberlain of her Majeſty's houſhold, at one and the ſame time.

Arms.] Gules, a lion rampant, within a border engrailed, or.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules, turned up, ermine, a lion, or, his lail extended.

Supporters.] Two talbots, argent.

Motto.] *Preſt d' accomplir.*

Chief

Chief Seats.] At Iſleworth in Middleſex; at Altoncaſtle in Staffordſhire; at Heathorpe, near Woodſtock, in Oxfordſhire; and Hill-ſtreet, London.

2. STANLEY, EARL OF DERBY.

THE Right Hon. EDWARD STANLEY, Earl of DERBY, Lord and Baron Stanley of Latham, and Baronet, lord lieutenant of the county of Lancaſter, was born Sept. 17, 1689. On the death of James, the tenth Earl of Derby, the Earldom devolved on the ſaid Sir Edward Stanley, of Bickerſtaff, Bart. in the year 1735-6. His lordſhip married, in 1714, Elizabeth, only daughter and heir of Robert Heſketh of Rufford in Lancaſhire, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue,

1. James Lord Strange, born in Jan. 1716-17, married, March 17, 1746-7, to Lucy, one of the daughters and coheirs of Hugh Smith, of Weald-hall in Eſſex, Eſq; and by her, who died Feb. 7, 1759, has iſſue.
2. Edward Stanley, born in June 1732.

And ſix daughters, viz.

1. Lady Elizabeth, married, in March 1746, to Sir Peter Warburton, Bart.
2. Lady Mary.
3. Lady Iſabella.
4. Lady Margaret
5. Lady Jane. And,
6. Lady Charlotte, married to John Bourgoine, Eſq;

Sir Thomas Stanley, Bart. father of the preſent Earl, was born Sept. 27, 1670. He married to his firſt wife, Elizabeth, only daughter and heir to Thomas Patten, of Preſton in the county of Lancaſter, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue four ſons, of which Edward, the preſent Earl of Derby, and John the ſecond ſon, only are living. He married, ſecondly, Margaret, daughter of Thomas Holcroft, in Lancaſhire, Eſq; relict of Sir Richard Standiſh, of Duxbury, in the ſame county, Bart. by whom he had no iſſue.

The Earls of Derby are deſcended from Thomas Lord Stanley, who married the Lady Margaret, widow

of Edmund Earl of Richmond, and mother of King Henry VII. and joining the Earl of Richmond his ſon at the battle of Boſworth, obtained a compleat victory over King Richard III. who being killed in the field of battle, the Lord Stanley ſet the crown on the head of the Earl of Richmond, and proclaimed him King of England, France, &c. and he ſucceeded King Richard III. by the name of Henry VII.

Arms.] Argent, on a bend, azure, three bucks heads caboſſed, or.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules, turned up, ermine, an eagle with wings expanded, or, preying upon an infant in its cradle, proper.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a griffin; on the ſiniſter, a buck, both or, ducally collared, and chained, azure.

Motto.] *Sans Changer.*

Chief Seats.] At Knoweſly and Bickerſtaff, both in the county of Lancaſter; and Clifford-ſtreet, London.

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3. HASTINGS, EARL OF HUNTINGDON.

THE Right Hon. FRANCIS HASTINGS, Earl of HUNTINGDON, and Baron Haſtings, Hungerford, Botreaux, Molins, Newmark, and Moles, and maſter of the horſe to the Prince of Wales, was born March 13, 1728, and ſucceeded his father Theophilus, the late Earl, in his honours and eſtate, Oct. 13, 1746.

Theophilus Haſtings, Earl of Huntingdon, father of the preſent Earl, was born in 1700; married, June 3, 1728, the Lady Selina Shirley, ſecond daughter and coheir of Waſhington Earl Ferrers, by whom he had iſſue four ſons and three daughters, viz.

1. Francis, the preſent Earl.
2. George, born March 29, 1730, who died aged 14.
3. Ferdinando, born Jan. 23, 1732, who died in

4. Henry, born Dec. 12, 1739, died Sept. 12, 1758.

5. Lady Elizabeth, the eldeſt daughter, born March 23, 1731, married, Feb. 26, 1752, to John Lord Rawdon of the kingdom of Ireland.

6. Lady Selina, born in June 1735, who died an infant.

7. Lady Selina, the third daughter, born Dec. 3, 1737.

This noble Earl is deſcended from Hugh de Haſtings, a younger ſon of the ancient and noble family of the Haſtings Earl of Pembroke, of which family was William de Haſtings, ſteward to King Henry I.

Arms.] Argent, a maunch, ſable.

Creſt.] On a wreath a buffalo's head eraſed, ſable, gorged with a ducal coronet, and armed, or.

Supporters.] Two man-tygers affrontée, or, their viſage like the human, proper.

Motto.] *In veritate victoria.*

Chief Seats.] At Aſhby-de-la-Zouch, and at Donnington, both in the county of Leiceſter.

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4. HERBERT, EARL OF PEMBROKE.

THE Right Hon. HENRY HERBERT, Earl of PEMBROKE, and Montgomery, Baron Herbert of Caerdiff, Roſs of Kendal, Parr, Fitz-Hugh, Marmion, St. Quintin, and Herbert of Shurland, colonel of a company in the firſt regiment of guards, and aide de camp to his Majeſty, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Wilts, and a lord of the bedchamber to the Prince of Wales, was born July 3, 1734, and ſucceeded Henry, the late Earl, his father, Jan. 9, 1749-50. His lordſhip married, March 13, 1756, Lady Elizabeth Spencer, ſecond daughter to Charles the late Duke of Marlborough, who was brought to-bed of a ſon and heir, Sept. 11, 1759.

Henry Earl of Pembroke, father of the preſent Earl, married, Aug. 28, 1733, Mary, eldeſt daughter

of Richard, Viſcount Fitz-Williams, of the kingdom of Ireland, by whom he had iſſue,

Henry, the preſent Earl, his only ſon.

This noble family are deſcended from Henry Fitz-Roy, natural ſon to King Henry I. And the firſt of this family that had the title of Earl, was William Herbert, Lord of Ragland, in the county of Monmouth; which William was alſo chief juſtice and chamberlain of South Wales, and knight of the garter; but was afterwards beheaded at Northampton, by the command of the Duke of Clarence and the Earl of Warwick, for oppoſing the Lancaſtrian party in behalf of the King.

Sir William Herbert, one of the anceſtors of the preſent Earl, was maſter of the horſe to King Henry VIII. lord preſident of the marches of Wales, and knight of the garter. He was alſo, by that King, advanced to the dignity of Baron Herbert of Caerdiff, and the very next day created Earl of Pembroke, anno 1551. He was general of the forces to Queen Mary, againſt the Kentiſh rebels; one of the privy-council to Queen Elizabeth, and maſter of her houſhold.

Arms.] Party-per-pale, azure and gules, three lions rampant, argent.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a wyvern, with wings elevated, vert, holding in its mouth a ſiniſter hand, couped at the wriſt, gules.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a panther guardant, argent, ſpotted of various colours, with fire iſſuing out of his mouth and ears, his ducal collar, azure. On the ſiniſter, a lion, argent, gorged with a ducal coronet, gules.

Motto.] *Ung je ſerviray.*

Chief Seats] At Wilton, in the county of Wilts; and Whitehall, Privy-Garden.

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5. CLINTON, EARL OF LINCOLN.

THE Right Hon. HENRY CLINTON, Earl of LINCOLN, Baron Say, one of the lords of his Majeſty's bedchamber, auditor of the receipt of his Majeſty's exchequer for life, comptroller of the cuſtoms in the port of London, maſter of Geddington-Chace, Northamptonſhire, high-ſteward of Weſtminſter, knight of the moſt noble order of the garter, F. R. S. and L. L. D. born April 20, 1720, ſucceeded George the late Earl, his brother, April 30, 1730. His lordſhip married, Oct. 3, 1744, Catharine, eldeſt daughter to Henry Pelham, late brother to the Duke of Newcaſtle, by which lady, who died July 27, 1760, he had iſſue,

1. George Lord Clinton, born Oct. 2, 1745, and died in Auguſt 1751.
2. Henry Lord Clinton, born Nov. 5, 1750.
3. Thomas, born July 2, 1752.
4. John, born Oct. 13, 1755.

Henry, Earl of Lincoln, father of the preſent and late Earls, married the Lady Lucy, ſiſter to Thomas Pelham Holles, Duke of Newcaſtle. His lordſhip dying Sept. 7, 1728, in the 44th year of his age, left iſſue by her two ſons,

1. George, his ſucceſſor; and,
2. Henry, the preſent Earl.

As alſo three daughters, of which

3. Lady Lucy only is living, and unmarried; and the Counteſs, their mother, died July 20, 1736.

This noble family are deſcended from Jeffrey de Clinton, lord chamberlain and treaſurer to King Henry I. grandſon to William de Tankerville, chamberlain of Normandy; from whom deſcended William de Clinton, chief juſtice of Cheſter, governor of Dover-caſtle, lord-warden of the cinque-ports, and lord-warden of the King's foreſts ſouth of Trent.

Edward Lord Clinton, another of the Earl's anceſtors, was conſtituted lord high-admiral of England for

life in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, who created him Earl of Lincoln.

Arms.] Argent, ſix croſs croſlets fitchy, 3, 2, and 1, ſable; on a chief, azure, two mullets pierced, or.

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, gules, five oſtrich-feathers, argent, banded, azure.

Supporters.] Two greyhounds, argent, their plain collars and lines gules.

Motto.] *Loyalte na bonte.*

Chief Seats.] At Oatland in Surry; and Palace-yard, Weſtminſter.

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6. HOWARD, EARL OF SUFFOLK AND BERKSHIRE.

THE Right Hon. HENRY BOWES HOWARD, Earl of SUFFOLK and BERKSHIRE, Viſcount Andover, and Baron Howard of Charlton, ſucceeded his grandfather Henry, the late Earl, March 21, 1757. The ſaid late Earl ſucceeded to the titles of Earl of Berkſhire, Viſcount Andover, and Baron Howard of Charlton, in 1706, and ſucceeded to the titles of Earl of Suffolk and Bindon, Baron Howard of Waldon, and Baron of Cheſterford, April 23, 1745, on the death of the Right Hon. Henry Bowes Howard, Earl of Suffolk. He married, March 5, 1708, Catherine, daughter of James Graham, Eſq; of Levens, and by her had iſſue,

1. Lady Diana, born Jan. 13, 1709-10, who died in Jan. 1712-13.

2. Henry Lord Viſcount Andover, born Dec. 31, 1710; and,

3. James: both died in their minority.

4. William, Lord Viſcount Andover, who died in July 1756, by a fall from his horſe, was born Dec. 23, 1714; and married to the Lady Mary Finch, ſecond daughter of Heneage Finch, Earl of Aylesford,

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Nov. 6, 1736, by whom he hath had iſſue Henry, now Earl of Suffolk, born May 10, 1739. Catharine, born July 6, 1741. Elizabeth, born May 14, 1744, ſince dead. And, Frances, born Feb. 27, 1746.

5. Lady Catharine, born Jan. 29, 1715, died unmarried.

6. Charles, born Oct. 13, 1717.

7. Thomas, born June 11, 1721, married, April 13, 1747, to Miſs —— Kingſcott.

8. Graham, born Oct. 27, 1722, ſince dead. And,

9. Lady Frances, born June 17, 1725, died unmarried.

Craven, great grandfather of the preſent Earl, married, to his firſt wife, Anne, daughter to Thomas Ogle, of Pinchbeck in Lincolnſhire, Eſq; and had iſſue one daughter, Anne, who died unmarried. He afterwards married Mary, daughter and ſole heir of the Hon. George Bowes, of Elford in Staffordſhire, by whom he had iſſue,

1. Henry, his only ſon, late Earl of Suffolk and Berkſhire; and two daughters, viz.

2. Mary, and,

3. Dorothy, both deceaſed.

The ſaid Craven was only ſon and heir of the Hon. William Howard, fourth ſon of Thomas, the firſt Earl of Berkſhire, ſecond ſon of Thomas Howard, created Earl of Suffolk, July 21, 1603, who was ſecond ſon of Thomas, the ſecond Duke of Norfolk, of the family of Howard.

The late Thomas, Earl of Berkſhire, was introduced into the houſe of peers on April 17, 1679. He married two wives, viz. Frances, daughter of Sir Richard Harriſon, of Hurſt in Berkſhire, Bart. by whom he had iſſue two daughters.

1. Frances, married to Sir Henry Winchcombe, of Bucklebury in the county of Berks, Bart. And,

2. Mary, who died unmarried.

His ſecond wife was Margaret, daughter of Sir Thomas Parker, of Batten in the county of Suſſex, knight, by whom he had no iſſue, whereupon the honour devolved on the late earl at his death, in 1706.

This noble family are deſcended from Thomas de Brotherton, Earl of Norfolk, fifth ſon of King Edward I. from whom deſcended Thomas Howard, a younger ſon of Thomas the ſecond Duke of Norfolk, by Margaret, his ſecond wife, daughter and ſole heir of Thomas Lord Audley of Walden. Which Thomas was, by King James I. created Earl of Suffolk, conſtituted lord chamberlain of his Majeſty's houſhold, lord treaſurer of England, and knight of the moſt noble order of the garter.

Suffolk Arms.] Gules, a bend between ſix croſs croſlets fitche, argent, with an augmentation in the midſt of the bend on an eſcutcheon, or, a demi-lion rampant, pierced through the mouth with an arrow, within a double treſſure counterflory, gules.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules, turned up, ermine, a lion guardant, his tail extended, or, gorged with a ducal coronet, argent.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a lion guardant, or, gorged ducally, argent. On the ſiniſter, a lion, argent.

Motto.] *Non quo ſed quomodo.*

Chief Seats.] At Charlton in Wilts; at Levenz in Weſtmoreland; at Elford in Staffordſhire; and at Oxford.

7. CECIL, EARL OF SALISBURY.

THE Right Hon. JAMES CECIL, Earl of SALISBURY, Viſcount Cranburn, and Baron Cecil of Effingdon, was born in 1713, and ſucceeded James, his father, late Earl of Saliſbury, Oct. 9, 1728. His lordſhip married, in 1743, Miſs Elizabeth Keet, eldeſt daughter of Mr. Edward Keet of Canterbury, by

by whom he hath iſſue James Lord Viſcount Cranburn, born in Sept. 1748; Lady Anne, born in March 1745-6; and Lady Bennet, born in April 1747.

The ſaid James Cecil, late Earl of Salisbury, father of the preſent Earl, married in Feb. 1708-9, the Lady Anne Tufton, ſecond daughter and coheir of James late Earl of Thanet, who died April 22, 1757, and by whom he had iſſue,

1. James, the preſent Earl.
2. William, who died unmarried, in 1740.
3. Lady Anne, married to William Stroud, of Punſborn, in the county of Hertford, Eſq; died in July 1752.
4. Lady Catharine, married, in 1736-7, to John now Earl of Egmont, in Ireland, by whom ſhe has had iſſue five ſons and two daughters, and died in Aug. 1752.
5. Lady Margaret.

This noble Earl is deſcended from William Cecil, Lord Burleigh, ſecretary of ſtate, and afterwards lord-treaſurer of England, in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, the moſt celebrated ſtateſman of that age; whoſe younger ſon, Robert, anceſtor of the preſent noble Lord, was conſtituted ſecretary of ſtate, and maſter of the court of Wards, by Queen Elizabeth; and in the ſucceeding reign of King James I. was conſtituted lord high-treaſurer of England; created Baron Cecil, of Eſſindon in the county of Rutland, in 1603, and Viſcount Cranburn, in the county of Dorſet, Auguſt 20, 1604, and Earl of Salisbury, May 4, 1605.

Arms.] Barry of ten, argent and azure, over all ſix eſcutcheons, 3, 2, and 1, ſable, each charged with a lion rampant of the field, a creſcent for difference.

Creſt.] On a wreath, ſix arrows, or, heads and feathers, argent, girt together with a bandage, or belt, azure, garniſhed, or; and over thoſe feathers a motion-cap, proper.

Supporters.] Two lions, ermine.

Motto.] *Sero, ſed ſerio.*

Chief Seats.] At Hatfield in Hertfordſhire; Cranburn-houſe in Dorſetſhire; Quickſwood in the county of Hertfordſhire; and Groſvenor-ſtreet, London.

8. CECIL, EARL OF EXETER.

THE Right Hon. BROWNLOW CECIL, Earl of EXETER, and Baron of Burleigh, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Rutland, born Sept. 21, 1725, ſucceeded his father the late Earl Brownlow, who died November 3, 1754. His lordſhip married July 24, 1749, Letitia, ſole daughter and heir of Horatio Townſhend, Eſq; one of the commiſſioners of exciſe; who died in April 1756, leaving no iſſue. The late Earl married, in 1722, Hannah Sophia Chambers, daughter of Thomas Chambers, of Derby, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue,

1. The preſent Earl.
2. Lady Margaret Sophia, who died in 1737.
3. The Hon. Thomas Chambers, born June 25, 1728.
4. Lady Elizabeth, born June 22, 1729; and,
5. Lady Anne, born in 1734.

This noble Earl is deſcended from Robert Sitlift, Seeſil, or Cecil, who flouriſhed in the reign of King William Rufus; but the greateſt of his anceſtors was William Cecil, Lord Burleigh, lord high-treaſurer of England, and prime miniſter to Queen Elizabeth. The preſent Earl is deſcended from Thomas Lord Burleigh, the eldeſt ſon of that great ſtateſman William Lord Burleigh.

Arms.] Barry of ten, argent and azure, over all ſix eſcutcheons, 3, 2, and 1, ſable, each charged with a lion rampant of the field.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules, turned up, ermine, a garb, or; ſupported by two lions, that on the dexter ſide, argent; the ſiniſter, azure.

Supporters.] Two lions, ermine.

Motto.] *Cor unum, via una.*

Chief Seats.] At Burleigh, near Stamford, in the county of Northampton; and Groſvenor-ſtreet, London.

9. COMPTON, EARL OF NORTHAMPTON.

THE Right Hon. CHARLES COMPTON, Earl of NORTHAMPTON, and Baron Compton of Compton, recorder of the town of Northampton, ſucceeded his uncle George, Dec. 6, 1758; and, Sept. 13, 1759, married the lady Anne Somerſet, daughter of Charles late Duke of Beaufort, by whom he has iſſue a daughter, born June 26, 1760.

George Earl of Northampton, father of the two laſt Earls, married, in 1686, Jane, youngeſt daughter of Sir Stephen Fox, Knt. and by this lady (who died July 10, 1721) had iſſue four ſons and ſix daughters, viz.

1. James, who ſucceeded him.
2. George, who ſucceeded his brother James, Oct. 3, 1754.
3. Stephen, third ſon, died young.
4. Charles, the fourth ſon, who died Nov. 20, 1755, married, Auguſt 14, 1727, to Mary, only daughter of Sir Berkeley Lucy, Bart. by whom he had iſſue two ſons and four daughters, viz. Charles, the preſent Earl of Northampton; Spencer-Mary, married, firſt, to Richard Haddock, and, 2dly, to —— Scott, both in the ſea-ſervice; Jane, married, Feb. 2, 1753, to George-Bridges Rodney, Eſq; and died Jan. 28, 1757, Catharine, married, Jan. 26, 1756, to John Earl of Egmont; and Elizabeth, unmarried.
5. Lady Elizabeth, eldeſt daughter, died Jan. 3, 1742-3.

6. Lady

6. Lady Mary, married, in April 1709, to William Gore, of Tring in Hertfordſhire, Eſq; and died in Auguſt 1737.

7. Lady Jane, who is alſo dead.

8. Lady Anne, married, Oct. 16, 1729, to Sir John Ruſhout of Northwick, and has iſſue, a ſon, and two daughters.

9. Lady Penelope; and,

10. Lady Margaret, who are both unmarried.

His Lordſhip, on July 2, 1726, married, to his ſecond lady, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir James Ruſhout, of Northwick, in the county of Worceſter, Bart. and relict of Sir George Thorold, Bart. by whom he had no iſſue; and dying, April 15, 1727, was ſucceeded by his eldeſt ſon James, the late Earl.

This noble family are deſcended from the Comptons of Compton, in Warwickſhire, who were lords of that place before the conqueſt.

Arms.] Sable, a lion paſſant-guardant, or, between three helmets, argent.

Creſt.] On a wreath a mount, vert, and thereon a beacon, or, enflamed on the top, proper; about the ſame a label, inſcribed, *Niſi Dominus.*

Supporters.] Two dragons, with wings expanded, ermine, collared with ducal collars, and chains of gold.

Motto.] *Je ne cherche que ung.*

Chief Seats.] At Caſtle-Aſhby, in Northamptonſhire; at Compton-Vinyates, in the county of Warwick; and Mount-ſtreet, London.

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10. FIELDING, EARL OF DENBIGH.

THE Right Hon. BASIL FIELDING, Earl of DENBIGH and DESMOND, Viſcount Fielding and Callan, Baron Fielding of Newenham-Padox and St. Liz, and Baron Fielding of Lecaghe, and one of his

Majeſty's moſt honourable privy-council, was born Jan. 3, 1719, ſucceeded his father William, the late Earl, who died Aug. 1, 1755; and married April 12, 1757, Maria, daughter to Sir John Bruce-Cotton, of Conington, in Huntingdonſhire, Bart. by whom he had a ſon and heir, born June 15, 1760.

William, the late Earl, born Oct. 26, 1697, ſucceeded Earl Baſil, his Father, March 28, 1716-17. His lordſhip married Iſabella, daughter to Peter de Young, of Utrecht, in Holland, and ſiſter to the Marchioneſs of Blandford, by whom he had iſſue, an only ſon, Baſil, the preſent Earl.

Baſil, father of the late Earl, married Heſter, daughter to Sir Baſil Firebrace, Bart. and by her had iſſue, three ſons, and ſix daughters:

1. William, the late Earl.
2. Baſil, who died in his infancy.
3. Charles, who married, in Sept. 1737, Mary, daughter of Sir Thomas Palmer, of Wingham, in Kent, Bart. and relict of Sir Brook Bridges, of the ſame county, and died in Feb. 1745, leaving three ſons, and two daughters.
4. Lady Mary, the eldeſt daughter, married, on April 15, 1729, to William Cockburne, M. D. and died in 1732.
5. Lady Bridget, married to Colonel James Otway, of Kent.
6. Lady Elizabeth, who died in April 1752.
7. Lady Heſter, who died Feb. 20. 1720-1.
8. Lady Diana.
9. Lady Frances, married to Daniel, Earl of Winchelſea and Nottingham, and died in September 1734.

This noble Earl is deſcended from the Earls of Hapſburg, in Germany. Geoffrey, Earl of Hapſburg, being oppreſſed by Rodolph, Emperor of Germany, came over into England, and one of his ſons ſerved King Henry III. in his wars, whoſe anceſtors laying

laying claim to the territories of Lauffenburg and Rhin-Filding, in Germany, he took the name of Filding. One of the braveſt of the preſent Earl's anceſtors, was Earl William, of whom Lord Clarendon obſerves, "That he ſerved King Charles I. from the beginning of the civil war, with unwearied pains, and exact ſubmiſſion to diſcipline and order, as a volunteer in Prince Rupert's troop, and engaged with ſingular courage in all enterprizes; but was mortally wounded in an engagement with the enemy, April 3, 1643."

Arms.] Argent, on a feſs, azure, three lozenges, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath, an eagle with two heads diſplayed, ſable, armed and membered, or, and charged on the breaſt with the above paternal coat.

Supporters.] Two bucks, proper, attired and unguled, or.

Motto.] *Creſcit ſub pondere virtus.*

Chief Seats.] At Newenham-Padox, in Warwickſhire; at Martinſthorp, in the county of Rutland; and Hanover-Square, London.

II. FANE, EARL OF WESTMORELAND.

THE Right Hon. JOHN FANE, Earl of WESTMORELAND, Baron le Deſpenſer and Burgherſh, and Baron of Catherlough, in Ireland, chancellor of the univerſity of Oxford, and lieutenant-general of his Majeſty's forces, ſucceeded his brother Thomas, the late Earl, in his honours and eſtate, in 1736. His lordſhip married Mary, only daughter and heir of Lord Henry Cavendiſh, by whom he has no iſſue.

Vere, Earl of Weſtmoreland, father of the two laſt and the preſent Earls, married Rachel, only daughter and heir of John Bence, Eſq; by whom he left iſſue, three ſons, and three daughters.

1. Vere, his eldeſt ſon, who ſucceeded him, and died unmarried in 1699; and was ſucceeded by

2. Thomas, his brother, late Earl of Weſtmoreland, who married Catherine, daughter and heir of Charles Stringer, of Charleton, Eſq; but died without iſſue, March 4, 1736, and was ſucceeded by

3. John, the preſent earl.

4. Lady Mary, married to Sir Francis Daſhwood, Bart. by whom ſhe had iſſue, Sir Francis Daſhwood, and a daughter married to Sir Robert Oſton, of Beekly, in Kent, which lady is ſince dead.

5. Lady Catherine, married to William Paul, of Braywick, in Berkſhire, Eſq;

6. Lady Suſan, who died, unmarried, March 11, 1734-5.

This noble Earl is deſcended from the Fanes, an ancient family, which reſided at Badſall in Kent; from which deſcended Francis Fane, ſon and heir of Sir Thomas Fane, Knight, by Mary, his wife, ſole daughter and heir to Henry Nevil, Lord Abergavenny, afterwards created Baroneſs Deſpenſer. The ſaid Francis was a Knight of the Bath; and, in the reign of King James I. created Baron Burgherſh, and Earl of Weſtmoreland in 1624.

Arms.] Azure, three right-hand gauntlets, with their backs forward, or.

Creſt.] Out of a ducal coronet, or; a bull's head, argent; pyed, ſable; armed, or; and charged on the neck with a roſe, gules, barbed and ſeeded, proper.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a gryphon, party per ſeſs, argent and or; his beak, fore-legs, and chain of the ſecond, his collar, ſable. On the ſiniſter, a bull, argent; pyed, ſable; armed, collared, chained, and hoofed, or; on the collar a roſe, proper.

Motto.] *Ne vile Fano.*

Chief Seats.] At Apthorp, in Northamptonſhire; Mereworth, Kent; Hanover-Square, London.

12. MORDAUNT, EARL OF PETERBOROUGH.

THE Right Hon. CHARLES MORDAUNT, Earl of PETERBOROUGH and MONMOUTH, Viſcount Avalon, Baron Mordaunt of Turvey, and Baron Mordaunt of Ryegate, ſucceeded his grandfather Charles, the late Earl, in 1735; and married Mary, daughter of John Cox, Eſq; of London, by which lady, who died in November 1755, he hath iſſue two daughters:

1. Lady Frances, born in April 1736; and,
2. Lady Mary.

His Lordſhip married, 2dly, by whom he has a ſon and heir, born May 16, 1758.

John Lord Mordaunt, father of the preſent Earl, married Frances, daughter to Charles Paulet, Duke of Bolton; and dying April 6, 1710, left iſſue,

1. The preſent Earl.
2. John, lieutenant-colonel in the army, member in parliament for Chriſt-Church, who, in Oct. 1735, married Mary, ſiſter to Scroop Lord Viſcount Howe. She died September 12, 1749.

The late Earl, Charles, grandfather to the preſent Earl, married Carey, daughter of Sir Alexander Frazer, of an antient family in Scotland, by whom he had iſſue,

1. John Lord Mordaunt, father of the preſent Earl.
2. Henry, who died unmarried, Feb. 24, 1709-10.
3. Henrietta, married to Alexander Duke of Gordon, in Scotland.

The anceſtors of this family received the honour of Baron, the 24th of Henry VIII. and Earl the 3d of Charles I. and are deſcended from John Mordaunt of Turvey, in the county of Bedford, Eſq; who was one of the King's commanders in the battle of Stoke, near

near Newark upon Trent, againſt John Earl of Lincoln, the 2d of Henry VII. He was alſo chancellor of the dutchy of Lancaſter; and the 24th of Henry VIII. ſummoned to parliament, having married Elizabeth, daughter and coheir to Henry de Vere, Lord of Drayton and Adington.

Arms.] Argent, a chevron between three eſtoils, ſable.

Creſt.] In an Earl's coronet, or; the buſt of a Mooriſh prince, habited in a cloth of gold, all proper; and wreathed about the temples, argent.

Supporters.] Two eagles, ſilver; armed and membered, ſable.

Motto.] *Nec placida contenta quieta eſt.*

Chief Seats.] At Parſon's-Green, in the county of Middleſex; Dantzy, in Wiltſhire; Audley-ſtreet, London.

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13. GREY, EARL OF STAMFORD.

THE Right Hon HARRY GREY, Earl of STAMFORD, Baron Grey of Groby, Bonville, and Harrington, ſucceeded Harry, the late Earl, his father, in Nov. 1739, having, in May 1736, married the Lady Mary Booth, only daughter and heir of George Earl of Warrington, by whom he hath had iſſue, three ſons, and two daughters:

1. George-Harry, Lord Grey, born Oct. 1. 1737.
2. Lady Mary Grey, born April 17, 1739.
3. Booth Grey, born Auguſt 15, 1740.
4. Lady Anne Grey, born Jan. 23, 1741-2, who died in June 1743; and,
5. John, born May 22, 1743.

Harry, late Earl of Stamford, and father of the preſent Earl, married Dorothy, daughter to Sir Nathan Wright, of Caldecote-Hall, in the county of Warwick,

Warwick, Knt. lord-keeper of the Great Seal in the reigns of King William and Queen Anne; and by her, who died Aug. 12, 1738, had iſſue, two ſons, and five daughters:

1. Harry, the preſent Earl.

2. John, who, in May 1748, married Lucy, ſecond daughter of Sir Joſeph Danvers, of Swithland, in the county of Leiceſter, Bart.

3. Lady Dorothy, now living.

4. Lady Catherine, married to Mynheer John Trip, poſtmaſter-general of Amſterdam, who died in June 1738. She married, 2dly, to Wanden Bemden, burgo-maſter of Amſterdam.

5. Lady Diana, married in Sept. 1736, to George Middleton, Eſq;

6. Lady Anne, married in October 1745, to Sir Richard Acton, of Aldenham, in the county of Salop, Bart.

7. Lady Jane, married, in 1738, to George Drummond, Eſq; ſecretary to the Order of the Thiſtle; but died in June 1752.

Thomas, Earl of Stamford, grandſon to Henry Grey, who was created Earl of Stamford, the 3d of Charles I. in the reign of King William, was made chancellor of the dutchy of Lancaſter, lord-lieutenant and cuſtos-rotulorum of the county of Leiceſter, and of the privy-council to Queen Anne; but dying, on Jan. 31. 1719-20, without ſurviving iſſue, his titles, and part of his eſtate, deſcended to the ſaid Harry Grey, the late Earl, ſon of John Grey, third ſon of Henry the firſt Earl of Stamford.

This noble family are deſcended from Henry de Grey, to whom King Richard I. gave the manor of Turro in Eſſex. Henry Lord Grey, Marquis of Dorſet, and afterwards Duke of Suffolk, was another of the anceſtors of this noble Earl, who was conſtituted High Conſtable of England at the coronation of King Edward VI. and married the Lady Frances, daughter of

of Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk, by Mary the youngeſt ſiſter of King Henry VIII. firſt married to Lewis XII. King of France; by whom he had the Lady Jane Grey, who was proclaimed Queen of England, on the death of King Edward; but the party of Queen Mary prevailing, ſhe loſt her head, as did her father the Duke of Suffolk, and her huſband Guildford Dudley, fourth ſon of the Duke of Northumberland.

Arms.] Barry of ſix, argent and azure, in chief three torteauxes, a label of three points, ermine.

Creſt.] On a wreath, an unicorn erect, ermine; armed, creſted, and hoofed, or; having a full ſun behind it, proper.

Supporters.] Two unicorn, ermine; armed, creſted, and hoofed, or.

Motto.] *A ma puiſſance.*

Chief Seats.] Enville-Hall, in Staffordſhire; Bragdate-Hall, in the county of Leiceſter; Dunham-Maſſy, in Cheſhire; Sackville-ſtreet, London.

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14. FINCH, EARL OF WINCHELSEA.

THE Right Hon. DANIEL FINCH, Earl of WINCHELSEA and NOTTINGHAM, Viſcount Maidſtone, Baron Fitz-Herbert of Eaſtwell, Baron Finch of Daventry, Lord of the Royal Manor of Wye, in Kent, and Baronet, one of the Lords of his Majeſty's moſt honourable Privy-council, a Knight of the moſt noble Order of the Garter, and one of the elder brethren of the Trinity-houſe, ſucceeded his father, Daniel, the late Earl, Jan. 21. 1729-30. His Lordſhip married, in 1729, the Lady Frances Fielding, daughter of Baſil, the late Earl of Denbigh, by whom he had iſſue one daughter, Lady Charlotte. And her Ladyſhip dying, Sept. 1734, he married, to his ſecond

Lady, in Jan. 1737-8, Mary, daughter and coheir of Sir Thomas Palmer, of Wingham, in Kent, Bart. by whom he hath iſſue, four daughters, living:

1. Lady Heneage, born in December 1741.
2. Lady Eſſex, born Jan. 1. 1745-6.
3. Lady Hatton, born Feb. 23, 1746-7.
4. Lady Auguſta, born in February 1750-1; and four others that died young.

Daniel Finch, Earl of Winchelſea and Nottingham, father of the preſent Earl, married Lady Eſſex Rich, ſecond daughter to Robert Rich, Earl of Warwick; by whom he had iſſue, one daughter, named Mary, who married to William Saville, Marquis of Hallifax; and, after his deceaſe, on Jan. 1. 1707-8, ſhe married to John Kerr, late Duke of Roxburgh, and died on Sept. 19, 1718, and had iſſue. [See *Kerr* Earl.] His Lordſhip married, to his ſecond wife, Anne, eldeſt daughter of Chriſtopher, late Lord Viſcount Hatton, by whom he had iſſue, five ſons, and eight daughters:

1. Daniel, the preſent Earl.
2. William, who married the Lady Anne Douglas, ſiſter to Charles, the preſent Duke of Dover; which Lady Anne dying in the year 1741, without iſſue, he married his ſecond wife, the Lady Charlotte, daughter to the Earl of Pomfret, in Auguſt 1746.
3. John.
4. Henry, who is not yet married.
5. Edward, married to Miſs Elizabeth Palmer.
6. Lady Eſſex, married, on July 20, 1703, to Sir Roger Moſtyn, in the county of Flint, Bart. and died May 23, 1721.
7. Lady Charlotte, married, February 4, 1725-6, to his Grace, Charles Symour, late Duke of Somerſet.
8. Lady Anne, who died young.
9. Lady Elizabeth, who, in Sept. 1738, was married to the Hon. William Murray, now Lord Mansfield.
10. Lady Mary, married, on Sept. 22, 1716, to

Thomas Watſon-Wentworth, late Marquis of Rockingham.

11. Lady Henrietta, married to his Grace William Fitzroy, Duke of Cleveland, leaving no iſſue.

12. Lady Iſabella, now living.

13. Lady Frances; and,

14. Lady Margaret: both died unmarried.

This family are deſcended from Herbert Fitz Herbert, Earl of Pembroke, and chamberlain to King Henry I. They took the name of Finch, in the reign of King Edward I.

One of the anceſtors of the preſent Earl, was the Right Hon. Heneage Finch, Earl of Nottingham, who was conſtituted lord high-chancellor of England in 1675; and lord high-ſteward on the trials of Philip Earl of Pembroke, and William Viſcount Stafford, in 1680.

This Earl was the ſon of Heneage Finch, recorder of London, and ſpeaker of the houſe of Commons, in 1625. He was created a Baron in 1673, and Earl of Nottingham in 1681. King William would have conſtituted the Earl lord high-chancellor of England on his acceſſion; but his lordſhip declined that office, and accepted the poſt of principal ſecretary of ſtate, which he reſigned in March 1693-4, not finding himſelf acceptable to the court, and was not employed afterwards during that reign. The day after the coronation of Queen Anne, he was appointed ſecretary of ſtate again; and, while he was in this ſtation, the houſe of commons twice reſolved, That he highly merited the truſt her Majeſty repoſed in him. At the acceſſion of King George I. he was one of the lords juſtices appointed to adminiſter the government until his Majeſty's arrival; and in Sept. 1714, he was made lord preſident of the council. The title of Viſcounteſs of Maidſtone was conferred on Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Heneage, captain of the guards to Queen Elizabeth, treaſurer of her chamber, vice-

chamberlain of her houſhold, and chancellor of the duchy of Lancaſter, wife of Sir Moyle Finch, by K. James I. in the 21ſt year of his reign, anno 1623, to her and the heirs male of her body; who dying in 1633, left iſſue (beſides ſeveral other children by her huſband Sir Moyle Finch) Sir Thomas Finch, who ſucceeded to the earldom of Winchelſea; and who dying in 1634, was ſucceeded by his eldeſt ſon, Heneage Earl of Winchelſea, who having been very inſtrumental in the reſtoration of King Charles II. was conſtituted governor of Dover-caſtle; and, in 12 Car. II. (being deſcended from the family of Herbert) was created Baron Fitz-Herbert of Eaſtwel in Kent, and was ſoon after ſent ambaſſador to Turkey; from which embaſſy he returned in 1669, and died in 1689. He had twenty-ſeven children by four wives, of whom William Lord Maidſtone was one, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Windham, of Norfolk, Eſq; and the Lord Maidſtone being killed in the ſea-fight with the Dutch in 1672, left his lady with child of a ſon, of which ſhe was delivered, in Sept. 1672, who was baptized by the name of Charles, ſucceeded his grandfather the ſaid Heneage Earl of Winchelſea. Earl Charles died Aug. 14, 1712; and leaving no male iſſue, the honour deſcended to Heneage Finch, his uncle, ſecond ſon of the ſaid Heneage Earl of Winchelſea, and brother of the ſaid Lord Maidſtone, deceaſed; and Earl Heneage Finch dying without male iſſue in 1726, was ſucceeded by his youngeſt brother John Finch; which John dying without iſſue in 1729, the title of Earl of Winchelſea devolved on Daniel, late Earl of Nottingham, ſon and heir of Sir Heneage Finch, fourth ſon of Sir Moyle Finch and Elizabeth his wife, who was created Counteſs of Winchelſea 21 Jac. I. anno 1623.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, argent, a chevron between three gryphons paſſant, ſegreant, ſable, for Finch; ſecond and third, gules, three lions rampant, or, for Fitz-Herbert. *Creſt.*]

Creſt.] On a wreath, a gryphon paſſant, ſegreant, ſable.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a lion, or, collared ducally, gules. On the left a gryphon, ſable, alike collared, argent.

Motto.] *Nil conſcire ſibi.*

Chief Seats.] At Burley, in Rutlandſhire; at Roundſtone, in Buckinghamſhire; at Eaſtwell, in Kent; and Sackville-ſtreet, London.

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15. STANHOPE, EARL OF CHESTERFIELD.

THE Right Hon. PHILIP DORMER STANHOPE, Earl of CHESTERFIELD, Baron Stanhope of Shelford, knight of the moſt noble order of the garter, and one of the lords of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy council, born Sept. 22, 1695, ſucceeded his father Philip, the late Earl, Jan. 27, 1725-6. His lordſhip married, Sept. 5, 1722, the Lady Meloſina, Counteſs of Walſingham, by whom he has no iſſue.

Philip Stanhope, Earl of Cheſterfield, father of the preſent Earl, married Lady Elizabeth Savile, one of the daughters and coheirs of George Marquis of Halifax, and left iſſue by her four ſons and two daughters, viz.

1. Philip, the preſent Earl.

2. William, knight of the Bath, married, firſt, Margaret, daughter of John Rudge, Eſq; by whom he hath iſſue one daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir Wilbore Ellis, formerly one of the lords of the admiralty. He married, ſecondly, Miſs Crawley, daughter of John Crawley, Eſq; late alderman of London; and, thirdly, Miſs Delaval, ſiſter to Francis Blake Delaval, Eſq; Oct. 6, 1759.

3. John, who died without iſſue.

4. Charles, born Sept. 6, 1708, who died Feb. 20, 1736, without iſſue.

5. Lady Gertrude, married to the late Sir Charles Hotham, Bart.

6. Lady Elizabeth, married to Samuel Hill of Shenſton, in the county of Stafford, Eſq; who died without iſſue Nov. 14, 1727.

This family received their ſurname from the town of Stanhope, in the biſhoprick of Durham, where they reſided before they removed into Nottinghamſhire. Sir Richard Stanhope had a large eſtate in the North in the reign of Henry III. Sir Richard de Stanhope, his ſon, was Lord of Eſtwyche in Northumberland, and mayor of Newcaſtle; and King Edward III. in conſideration of his ſervices againſt the Scots, granted him a third part of the village and fiſhery of Paxton, in Scotland.

The honour of Baron was conferred on this noble family in the fourteenth year of King James I. and that of Earl in the fourth of Charles I.

Arms.] Quarterly, ermine and gules.

Creſt.] On a wreath a tower, argent, with a demi-lion rampant, iſſuing from the battlements, or, crowned ducally, gules, and holding between his paws a grenade firing, proper.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a wolf, or, crowned with a ducal coronet. On the ſiniſter a talbot, ermine.

Motto.] *A Deo & Rege.*

Chief Seats.] At Bretby in Derbyſhire; at Shelford in Nottinghamſhire; at Blackheath in Kent; and South-Audley-ſtreet, London.

16. TUFTON, EARL OF THANET.

THE Right Hon. SACKVILE TUFTON, Earl of THANET, Baron Tufton, Lord Weſtmoreland and Vezey, lord of the honour of Skipton in Craven, and baronet, and hereditary-ſheriff of the counties of Weſtmoreland and Cumberland; was born in Auguſt 1733, and ſucceeded his father, who died Dec. 4, 1754.

Sackvile, the late Earl, was born in 1688, and ſuc-

ceeded his uncle, Earl Thomas, in 1729. His lordſhip, in 1722, married Lady Mary Sackvile, youngeſt daughter and coheir of William Marquis of Halifax; by whom he had iſſue,

1. Lord John, who died young.
2. Sackvile, the preſent Earl.
3. Lady Mary, who died July 25, 1758. And,
4. Lady Charlotte.

This noble family is deſcended from Elfege de Toketon, alias Tufton, lord of the manors of Sileham in the county of Kent, and of Tufton in the county of Suſſex, who flouriſhed in the reign of King John, and from whom deſcended John Tufton, Eſq; whoſe reſidence was at Hothfield in Kent. He was ſheriff of that county in the reign of Queen Elizabeth. His ſon John was created a baronet 9 Jac. I. and married Chriſtian, daughter of Sir Humphrey Brown, Knt. one of the judges of the court of Common-Pleas, by whom he had iſſue Nicholas, created Baron Tufton, of Tufton in Suſſex, 2 Car. I. and Earl of Thanet, in Kent, 4 Car. I.

Arms.] Sable, an eagle diſplayed, ermine, within a bordure, argent.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a ſea-lion, ſejant.

Supporters.] Two eagles, their wings expanded, ermine.

Motto.] *Fiel pero deſdichado.*

Chief Seats.] At Hothfield in Kent; at Newbottle in Northamptonſhire; and Groſvenor-ſtreet, London.

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17. MONTAGU, EARL OF SANDWICH.

THE Right Hon. JOHN MONTAGU, Earl of SANDWICH, Viſcount Hinchingbroke, Baron Montagu of St. Neots in Huntingdonſhire, joint vice-treaſurer of Ireland, one of the elder brethren of the Trinity-Houſe, governor of the Charter-

Houſe, recorder of the corporations of Huntingdon and Godmancheſter, lieutenant-general in the army, one of his Majeſty's privy council, and F. R. S. ſucceeded Edward, the late Earl, his grandfather, Oct. 20, 1729. His lordſhip married the Hon. Dorothy, daughter of Charles Lord Viſcount Fane, of the kingdom of Ireland, March 7, 1741-2; by whom he has iſſue,

1. John Viſcount Hinchingbroke, born Jan. 26, 1743-4.
2. Edward Montagu, born June 30, 1745, died Nov. 3, 1752.
3. William-Auguſtus, born in 1752.
4. Lady Mary, born Feb. 23, 1747-8.

His lordſhip was plenipotentiary at the treaty of Aix-la-Chapelle, concluded Oct. 7, 1748.

The Hon. Edward Montagu, father of the preſent Earl, married Elizabeth, only daughter of Alexander Popham, of Littlecote in Wiltſhire, Eſq; and dying Oct. 3, 1722, in his father's life-time, left iſſue,

1. The Lady Mary, who died young.
2. The Lady Elizabeth, married, in Sept. 1737, to Keiland Courtney, Eſq;
3. John, the preſent Earl. And,
4. The Hon. William Montagu, who married Miſs Naylor, daughter of ——— Naylor, Eſq; in 1748.

This noble family being a branch of the late Duke of Montagu's, derive their pedigree from Drogo de Monteacuto, who came into England with William the Conqueror.

Sir Sidney Montagu, great grandfather of the late Earl, was conſtituted maſter of the court of Requeſts in the reign of King Charles I. and was elected knight of the ſhire for the county of Huntingdon, in 1640; but was expelled the houſe for refuſing to take an oath the houſe had framed for their members, "That they would live and die with their general the Earl of Eſſex."

Sir Edward Montagu, his ſon, was born July 27, 1625, and had a commiſſion from the parliament, in 1643, to raiſe a regiment of a thouſand men, in the county of Cambridge, which he raiſed accordingly, and was in moſt of the conſiderable actions in that war, particularly at Naſeby in 1645, behaving with that gallantry, that he was advanced to the command of brigadier-general the ſame year, when he was but twenty years of age. He was afterwards appointed with Deſborough to execute the office of high-admiral, and was joined with Blake in the command of the fleet, after whoſe death he had the ſole command, and the addreſs, as well as the honour, of bringing the whole fleet to ſubmit to King Charles II. and thereupon ſet ſail with them to the coaſt of Holland, in order to convoy his Majeſty King Charles II. to England, whereby he contributed no leſs than general Monk to the reſtoration of that prince: and his Majeſty, at his arrival in England, conſtituted him one of the knights of the moſt noble order of the garter; and, on July 13, (the ſame year) 1660, in the 35th year of his age, created him Baron Montagu of St. Neots in Huntingdonſhire, Viſcount Montagu, and Earl of Sandwich: he was alſo made maſter of the King's wardrobe, admiral of the narrow ſeas, and lieutenant-admiral to his royal highneſs the Duke of York, lord high-admiral of England. He was afterwards appointed his Majeſty's proxy at the eſpouſals of the princeſs Donna Catherina, the daughter of Don Pedro, King of Portugal, and had the honour of convoying that princeſs to England in 1662. He had a great ſhare in the victory obtained over the Dutch at ſea, June 3, 1665, where eighteen of the enemy's capital ſhips were taken, and fourteen more deſtroyed, and admiral Opdam blown up. He afterwards took eight Dutch men of war, two Eaſt-India men, and twenty ſail of other merchantmen.

He was appointed ambaſſador extraordinary to the court of Spain, in 1666, to mediate a peace between the courts of Spain and Portugal, which he effected. He was vice admiral under the Duke of York in the ſea-fight off Southwold-Bay, May 28, 1672, where he contributed greatly to the victory obtained that day; but died fighting bravely in the ſervice of his country. Biſhop Parker, in the hiſtory of his own times, relating this engagement, ſays, "The Earl "of Sandwich having ſhattered ſeven of the enemy's "ſhips, and beat off three fireſhips, at length over-"powered, fell a ſacrifice to his country. A gentle-"man adorned with all the virtues of Alcibiades, "and untainted by any of his vices; capable of any "buſineſs; full of wiſdom; a great commander at "ſea and land; learned, eloquent, affable, liberal, "and magnificent."

Arms.] Argent, three lozenges conjoined in feſs, gules; a border, ſable.

Creſt.] On a wreath a gryphon's head couped, or; its beak and wings ſable.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a triton, holding over his right ſhoulder a trident, all proper, his ducal crown, or. On the ſiniſter a parrot, with wings diſcloſed, vert.

Motto.] *Poſt tot naufragia portum.*

Chief Seats.] At Hinchinbroke in the county of Huntingdon; and Pall-Mall, London.

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18. CAPEL, EARL OF ESSEX.

THE Right Hon. JOHN-WILLIAM-ANNE-HOLLES CAPEL, Earl of ESSEX, Viſcount Malden, and Baron Capel of Hadham, a lord of the bedchamber to the King; born Oct. 7, 1732, ſucceeded his father William, the late Earl, Jan. 8, 1742-3; and married, Aug. 1, 1754, Miſs Charlotte, daughter of Sir Charles Hanbury

Hanbury Williams, knight of the Bath; by whom he has a daughter named Elizabeth, born Aug. 10, 1755, a ſon born Nov. 13, 1757, and a daughter, born July 14, 1759; and the Counteſs, their mother, died July 19, 1759.

William Earl of Eſſex, father of the preſent Earl, married, Nov. 27, 1718, to the Lady Jane Hyde, daughter of Henry Earl of Clarendon and Rocheſter, and by her (who died Jan. 3, 1723-4) had iſſue four daughters; whereof Lady Charlotte, born Oct. 2, 1721, married, March 30, 1752, Thomas, now Lord Hyde: the reſt died unmarried.

On Feb. 2, 1725-6, his lordſhip married his ſecond wife, the Lady Elizabeth Ruſſel, youngeſt daughter of Wriotheſley, father of the late and preſent Dukes of Bedford, by whom he had three daughters and two ſons, viz.

1. George Viſcount Malden, born in Jan. 1727, died young.
2. Lady Diana, born Feb. 22, 1728.
3. Lady Anne, born May 13, 1730.
4. Lady Amelia, born Sept. 9, 1731.
5. John-William-Anne, the preſent Earl.

This noble family is deſcended from Sir Richard Capel, lord juſtice of Ireland in the reign of King Henry VII. in 1503, whoſe anceſtors were lords of the manor of Capel in the county of Suffolk for many ages. But the greateſt hero of this family was Arthur Earl of Eſſex, who was beheaded for his loyalty to King Charles I. of whom Lord Clarendon declares, "He was a man that, whoever after him "ſhould deſerve beſt of the Engliſh nation, could "never think himſelf undervalued, when he ſhould "hear that his courage, virtue, and fidelity were laid "in the balance with, and compared to, that of the "the Lord Capel."

Arms.] Gules, a lion rampant, between three croſs croſlets fitchy, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a demi-lion rampant, couped, or, holding in his paws a croſs croſlet, fitchy, gules.

Supporters.] Two lions, or, ducally crowned, gules.

Motto] *Fide et fortitudine.*

Chief Seats.] At Caſhioberry in Hertfordſhire; and Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

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19. MONTAGU, EARL OF CARDIGAN.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE MONTAGU, Earl of CARDIGAN, Baron Brudenel of Stanton-Wiyil, conſtable and lieutenant of Windſor-Caſtle, knight of the moſt noble order of the garter, and baronet, preſident of St. Luke's hoſpital, and F. R. S. born in 1712, married the Lady Mary Montagu, youngeſt daughter, and now one of the coheirs of John Duke of Montagu, July 7, 1730; and ſince the deceaſe of his Grace, has taken the name and arms of Montagu.

His lordſhip has iſſue a ſon named John Lord Brudenell, born March 18, 1734-5; and three daughters, viz. The Ladies Elizabeth, Mary, and Henrietta.

George Brudenell, late Earl of Cardigan, ſucceeded his grandfather in 1703, and dying in July 1732, left iſſue by his wife the Lady Elizabeth Bruce, eldeſt daughter of Thomas late Earl of Aileſbury, four ſons, and two daughters, viz.

1. George, the preſent Earl of Cardigan.

2. The Hon. James Brudenell, member of parliament for Shafteſbury, whoſe daughter was married, Sept. 2, 1758, to Sir Samuel Fludier, Knt. alderman of London, and member of parliament for Chippenham.

3. Robert,

3. Robert, colonel of his Majeſty's forces, married to Miſs Biſhop, daughter to Sir Cecil Biſhop, Bart. in Feb. 1759.

4. Thomas, now Lord Bruce. *See Lord Bruce.*

5. The Lady Frances, married to Oliver Tilſon, Eſq; And.

6. Lady Mary, married to Richard Powis, Eſq; after whoſe death ſhe married, June 26, 1754, to Thomas Bouldby, Eſq;

This noble Earl is deſcended from William de Brudenhill, who flouriſhed in the reigns of King Henry III. and King Edward I. the ſeat of the family being then at Doddington, in Oxfordſhire, part of his eſtate lying at Adderbury and Bloxham, in that county, and another part of it in Northamptonſhire.

Sir Thomas Brudenell, another of the anceſtors of this noble Earl, in conſideration of his loyalty and eminent ſervices to King Charles I. was, by King Charles II. in the thirteenth year of his reign, created Earl of Cardigan, three days before his Majeſty's coronation.

Arms.] Of Montagu and Monthermer quarterly two coats, the firſt and fourth argent, three lozenges conjoined in feſs gules, within a border ſable; ſecond and third ſable, a lion rampant argent, and in a canton argent, the croſs of England, for Churchill.

Creſt.] On a wreath a gryphon's head couped, or, with wings indorſed and beaked, ſable.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a gryphon, or, beaked, winged, and four legs ſable. On the ſiniſter a wyvern, gules, collared, or, wings expanded, gules, charged on the breaſt in a canton azure, St. Andrew's croſs, argent.

Motto.] *Spectamur agendo.*

Chief Seats.] At Dean in Northamptonſhire; at Blackheath in Kent; at Windſor-Caſtle as conſtable; and Dover-ſtreet, London.

20. ANNESLEY, EARL OF ANGLESEA.

THE Right Honourable RICHARD ANNESLEY, Earl of ANGLESEA, Viſcount Valencia, Baron Anneſley of Newport-Pagnel, Baron Mount-Norris, Baron of Altham, and Baronet, ſucceeded his brother Arthur in 1737.

Richard Anneſley, Lord Altham, father of the preſent Earl, married Dorothy, daughter to Mr. Davy of the county of Devon; and departing this life Nov. 25, 1701, left iſſue two ſons and one daughter.

1. Arthur Lord Altham, who married —— a natural daughter of John Sheffield, late Duke of Buckingham, who died without iſſue.

2. Richard, the preſent Earl.

3. Elizabeth, who married Maurice Lord Haverſham; and, after his deceaſe, ſhe was married, Anno 1746-7, to —— Fitzwilliam White, Eſq;

This noble Earl is deſcended from Richard Anneſley, of Anneſley, in the county of Nottingham, who flouriſhed in the reign of William the Conqueror, in 1079.

[*For a more particular account of the family of this noble Lord, the reader is requeſted to conſult the third volume of this work, which contains an account of the families of the* Iriſh *nobility.*]

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt pally of ſix, argent and ſable; over all a bend, gules.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a Moor's head and buſt, ſide-faced and couped, proper; wreathed about the temples, argent and ſable.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a Roman knight; on the ſiniſter, a Mooriſh prince, both habited and furniſhed, proper.

Motto.] *Virtutis Amore.*

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Chief Seats.] At Belchington in Oxfordſhire; Farnborough-place, in the county of Southampton; and Clemoling-park, in the county of Wexford in Ireland.

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21. HOWARD, EARL OF CARLISLE.

THE Right Honourable FREDERICK HOWARD, Earl of CARLISLE, Viſcount Howard of Morpeth, and Baron Dacres of Gilleſland, born May 28, 1748, ſucceeded his father Henry Sept. 4, 1758.

Henry, the late Earl, married the Lady Frances Spencer, only daughter of Charles Earl of Sunderland, who died July 27, 1742, and by whom he had iſſue two ſons and two daughters, viz.

1. Charles, Lord Morpeth, who died in Auguſt, 1741.
2. Robert, then Lord Morpeth, died October 20, 1743.
3. Lady Arabella, who married, in 1741, to Jonathan Cope, Eſq; and died in the year 1746, leaving iſſue a ſon named Charles, and a daughter named Arabella.
4. Diana, who married, Feb. 9, 1748-9, to Thomas Duncombe, Eſq;

His Lordſhip married to his ſecond Lady, June 8, 1743, Iſabella Byron, ſiſter to the preſent Lord Byron, by whom he had iſſue one ſon and four daughters:

1. Frederick, the preſent Earl.
2. Lady Anne, born in 1744.
3. Lady Fanny, born in 1745.
4. Lady Betty, born in 1746. And,
5. Lady Juliana.

Charles, Earl of Carliſle, father of the late Earl, married the Lady Elizabeth Capel, only ſurviving daughter of Arthur Earl of Eſſex; and his Lordſhip dying on the 1ſt of May, 1738, left iſſue two ſons and three daughters, viz.

1. Henry, the late Earl.

2. Sir Charles Howard, lieutenant-general of his Majeſty's forces, colonel of the third regiment of dragoon-guards, governor of Carliſle, member of parliament for the ſaid city, and knight of the Bath.

3. Lady Elizabeth, married firſt to Nicholas Lord Lechmere, who dying without iſſue by her, June 18, 1727, her Ladyſhip, October 25, 1728, was married ſecondly to Sir Thomas Robinſon, of Rockby-park, in Yorkſhire, Bart.

4. Lady Anne, married to Richard Ingram, Lord Viſcount Irwin, of Scotland. And,

5. Lady Mary.

The ſaid Earl Charles was lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the counties of Weſtmoreland and Cumberland, deputy earl-marſhal of England, firſt commiſſioner of the treaſury, governor of the town and caſtle of Carliſle, vice-admiral of the adjacent coaſt, and one of the privy council to King William III. He was alſo of the privy-council in the reign of Queen Anne, and one of the commiſſioners to treat of an union with Scotland, in the year 1706; and, on the demiſe of Queen Anne, was appointed by the late King George I. one of the regents, ſworn of the privy-council, conſtituted firſt commiſſioner of the treaſury, and conſtable of the Tower; and in the year 1723, he was made governor of Windſor-caſtle, and lord warden of the foreſt of Windſor.

This noble Earl derives his pedigree from William Lord Howard, ſecond ſon of Thomas the ſecond Duke of Norfolk, by Margaret his ſecond wife, daughter of Thomas Lord Audley.

Arms.] Gules, on a bend, between ſix croſs croſlets fitche, argent, an eſcutcheon, or, charged with a demi-lion rampant, pierced through the mouth with an arrow within a double treſſure counterflory, gules.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules, turned up, ermine, a lion

a lion guardant, his tail extended, or, gorged with a ducal coronet, argent, a mullet for difference.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a lion, argent, differenced by a mullet. On the ſiniſter a bull, gules, armed, unguled, ducally gorged, and chained, or.

Motto.] *Volo, non valeo.*

Chief Seats.] At Caſtle-Howard, in Yorkſhire; Naworth-caſtle, in Cumberland; Morpeth-caſtle, in Northumberland; and Soho-ſquare, London.

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22. SCOT, DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH, EARL OF DONCASTER.

THE Moſt Noble HENRY SCOT, Duke of BUCCLEUCH, Earl of Dalkeith, Baron Scot of Buccleuch and Eſkdale, and a Peer of England by the title of Baron Scot, of Tindale in Northumberland, and Earl of Doncaſter in Yorkſhire, was born Sept. 2, 1746, being great grandſon of James Duke of Monmouth and Buccleuch, and Earl of Doncaſter, who was the eldeſt ſon of King Charles II. by Mrs. Lucy Walters, daughter of Richard Walters, Eſq; and was born at Rotterdam, in Holland, April 9, 1649, and went by the name of James Crofts until his Majeſty's reſtoration. In the year 1662, the King ſent for him over into England, and an apartment was aſſigned him in Whitehall. The next year the King created him Baron of Tindale, Earl of Doncaſter, and Duke of Monmouth, and made him knight of the moſt noble order of the garter. The ſame year, 1663, he married the Lady Anne, ſole daughter and heir of Francis Earl of Buccleuch, one of the greateſt fortunes in Great Britain. Upon this marriage he took the name of Scot, and they were created Duke and Ducheſs of Buccleuch in Scotland. He was appointed maſter of the horſe to his Majeſty in 1665, and captain of the life-guards in 1668; and, on the

death of his Grace the Duke of Albemarle in 1669, he was conſtituted general of his Majeſty's forces, lord lieutenant of the eaſt-riding of Yorkſhire, governor of the town and citadel of Hull, and chief juſtice in eyre of all his Majeſty's foreſts and chaſes ſouth of Trent; and in 1672 he was conſtituted lord high chamberlain of Scotland.

The ſame year 1672, he commanded the ſix thouſand Engliſh and Scots which joined the French army on the frontiers of Holland, and was conſtituted lieutenant-general of the forces of Lewis XIV. being preſent at the taking of Rhineburgh, Doeſburgh, and Zutphen, and at the reduction of Utrecht, where the French king kept his court for ſome time. In the year 1673, he was at the ſiege of Maeſtricht, and commanded at the attack of the counterſcarp. The town being taken, the Duke with the Britiſh forces withdrew, it not being thought for the intereſt of England to aſſiſt the French in making an entire conqueſt of the United Provinces.

The Duke was elected chancellor of the univerſity of Cambridge in 1674; and as he had formerly commanded the forces ſent to the aſſiſtance of the French againſt the Dutch, he made a campaign under the Prince of Orange, in the year 1678, againſt the French, and was at the attack of the abbey of St. Dennis.

The Field Conventiclers in Scotland breaking out into rebellion in the year 1679, and having aſſembled a very formidable force, the Duke of Monmouth was ſent down to ſuppreſs them; and giving the rebels battle at Bothwell-bridge on the 22d of June, totally defeated them, taking a great number of priſoners, among whom were ſeveral of the murderers of the archbiſhop of St. Andrew's; and returning to court in triumph, appeared at that time very high in the King's favour. Nor was he leſs in the favour of the people, on his appearing at the head of what was called the Proteſtant Party, and ſhewing an uncom-

mon zeal againſt thoſe who were accuſed of the Popiſh Plot; but the King falling ſick, and the Duke of York being ſent for over from the Netherlands, and finding the Duke of Monmouth had rendered himſelf exceeding popular, was apprehenſive of his having an eye upon the crown: he procured him therefore to be diſmiſſed from all his places, and ſent abroad; but the King recovering from his illneſs, thought it convenient alſo that the Duke of York ſhould return to Flanders before the meeting of the parliament. The Duke of York thereupon reſided at Bruſſels, and the Duke of Monmouth at Utrecht; but the Duke of Monmouth on a ſudden returned from Holland, without the King's leave, and arriving at London on the 27th of November, about midnight, the watch gave notice of it in the ſeveral wards. The people thereupon immediately illuminated their houſes, rung the bells, and made bonfires, as if it had been for ſome notable victory; but the Duke of Monmouth coming over without the King's leave, did not think fit to attend the court: and ſoon after his friends the Lords Shaftſbury, Ruſſel, and ſeveral other perſons of diſtinction, preſented the Duke of York as a recuſant at the bar of the court of King's-Bench, which made the Duke of York their profeſſed enemy. The King calling the next parliament to meet at Oxford, the Duke of Monmouth, the Earl of Eſſex, and ſeveral other Lords, petitioned his Majeſty that the parliament might not ſit at Oxford, where they ſuggeſted the houſes could not act with freedom; but that he would be pleaſed to order them to ſit at Weſtminſter, the uſual place, where they might conſult and act with ſafety. This petition was ſigned,

Monmouth,	Stamford,	Paget,
Kent,	Eſſex,	Gray,
Huntingdon,	Shaftſbury,	Herbert,
Bedford,	Mordaunt,	Howard,
Saliſbury,	Evers,	Delamere.
Clare.		

The King frowned on the petitioners, and gave them no anſwer; and on the 21ſt of March, 1680-81, the parliament met at Oxford, and a bill was brought into the houſe for excluding the Duke of York from the crown, and ſecuring the nation againſt a popiſh ſucceſſor, read the firſt time on the 28th of March, 1681, and ordered a ſecond reading. Whereupon the King came to the houſe, and made a ſpeech, wherein he obſerved, That their beginnings were ſuch, that he could expect no good ſucceſs from their debates, and therefore diſſolved them; and a plot, denominated the Ryehouſe-plot, being diſcovered at this time, the Earls of Shaftſbury and Eſſex, Lord Ruſſel, Col. Sydney, and ſeveral more, were taken into cuſtody as conſpirators, and ſoon after the Duke of Monmouth; but the Duke was admitted to bail, and the King, being ſatisfied he was not concerned in that part of the plot relating to the Ryehouſe, granted his Grace a pardon, who thereupon went over to Holland, where he remained till the death of King Charles II. which happened on Feb. 6, 1684-5.

The Duke of Monmouth being ſtrongly poſſeſſed with an opinion that his mother was married to King Charles II. and that conſequently he had an undoubted right to the Britiſh crown, adviſed with the Earl of Argyle, and the reſt of his friends in Holland, on the feaſableneſs of making a deſcent in England, and aſſerting his right to that throne. They were pretty unanimous as to the probability of ſucceſs, the Duke being ſo exceeding popular, and the nation generally jealous of the King's deſign to introduce popery; only one party were of opinion, that things were not yet ripe; that it were better to wait till the King had made ſome advances towards the alteration of religion, and the people's fears of popery heightened. Others inſiſted, that they were more likely to ſucceed if they made the attempt before the King was well ſettled on his throne, and while the Duke's

Duke's intereſt was ſo conſiderable in England; but the Earl of Argyle being for an immediate deſcent, and embarking in order to make a diverſion in the Duke's favour in Scotland, it was carried for an immediate deſcent upon England: whereupon the Duke hired a frigate of thirty-two guns, and three ſmall tenders, one of which was detained by the Dutch, on the Engliſh miniſter (Skelton) applying to the States to prevent theſe ſhips ſailing. However, the Duke proceeded in his voyage with the frigate and two tenders, and, after a tedious ſtormy paſſage, arrived at Lime in Dorſetſhire the 11th of June, 1685, his whole force not amounting to two hundred men, including officers; but having brought over arms for five thouſand more, and great numbers of the country-people joining him, his forces ſoon became very formidable, the militia conſtantly flying before him.

From Lime the Duke marched croſs the country to Taunton-Dean in Somerſetſhire, where he cauſed himſelf to be proclaimed King, and ſet a price upon the King's head, as the King had upon the Duke's, and cauſed him to be attainted of high treaſon in the parliament, which was then ſitting. Whereupon the Duke, in his declaration, called the parliament a ſeditious aſſembly; and advancing afterwards to Bridgwater, he continued his march towards Bath and Briſtol: but receiving advice that a body of regular troops was in full march for the Weſt, he thought proper to retire to Bridgwater again, where he had lain but a little while before the King's forces arrived within three or four miles of that town, commanded by the Earl of Feverſham and Lord Churchill, afterwards Marlborough, who encamped on Sedgmore; of which the Duke receiving advice, and being at the ſame time informed that the officers fell to drinking every evening, and continued at it till morning, and that their outguards were very negligent in their duty, he formed a deſign to ſurpriſe the camp of the royaliſts

royaliſts in the night-time; but his guides, either through ignorance or treachery, led the Duke's forces a great way round about, inſomuch that it was broad daylight when they arrived at the camp of the royaliſts, whom they found ready to receive them. However the Duke's foot fought very bravely, and bid fair for victory, till the Lord Gray, who commanded the horſe, abandoned the infantry, and left the field; or rather, he found his cavalry, which conſiſted only of country-fellows, whoſe horſes would not ſtand fire, were ſoon put into confuſion, when they were charged by regular troops; whereupon a total rout ſucceeding, the Duke endeavoured to make his eſcape; but was taken the next day, and being brought up to town, was ſuffered to ſee the King, and beg his life; but was however executed on Tower-hill on Wedneſday July 15, 1685. But ſurely never was the death of any prince more lamented by the people, who would not be perſuaded he was dead, but remained in expectation of ſeeing him appear in arms again, for ſome years.

[*For a particular account of the intermediate anceſtors and the family of this noble Duke, the reader is requeſted to conſult the ſecond volume of this work, under the title of* Duke of Buccleuch.]

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, the arms of King Charles II. with a battooned gobonated, pearl and ſaphire; ſecond and third, the arms of Scot, viz. topaz, a bend, ſaphire, charged with an eſtoil between two creſcents, topaz.

Creſt.] A ſtag paſſant, proper.

Supporters.] On each ſide, a woman richly attired in an antique habit, their under robe emerald, the middle one ſaphire, the uppermoſt ruby, and on their heads a plume of three feathers, pearl.

Motto.] *Amo.*

Chief Seats.] At Hall-place, in Berkſhire; at Dalkeith, near Edinburgh, in Scotland; and in Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

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23. COOPER, EARL OF SHAFTESBURY.

THE Right Honourable ANTHONY ASHLEY COOPER, Earl of SHAFTESBURY, Baron Aſhley of Winborne St. Giles, Baron Cooper of Pawlet, Baronet, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Dorſet, and of the town of Poole, recorder of Shafteſbury, and F. R. S. ſucceeded Anthony, the late Earl, his father, in February 1712-13. His Lordſhip married, on the 12th of March, 1724-5, the Lady Suſan Noel, ſiſter to Baptiſt Earl of Gainſborough; by which Lady, who died in June 1758, he had no iſſue. His Lordſhip married, ſecondly, Mary ſecond daughter to Jacob the preſent Viſcount Folkſtone.

Anthony late Earl of Shaftesbury, father of the preſent Earl, was born Feb. 26, 1670. He married, in 1709, Jane, daughter of Thomas Ewer, of Buſhy-hall in Hertfordſhire, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue, Anthony, the preſent Earl, his only ſon. This Lady died in November 1751.

This noble Earl is deſcended from Richard Cooper, who flouriſhed in the reign of King Henry VIII. and purchaſed the manor of Paulet, in the county of Somerſet, of which the family are ſtill proprietors. But his anceſtor, who makes the greateſt figure in hiſtory is, ſir Anthony Aſhley Cooper, who was afterwards created Earl of Shaftesbury, and conſtituted lord high chancellor of England. He is generally admired for his great parts and learning. He was a ſtudent of Exeter-college in Oxford, from whence he removed to Gray's-inn, one of the Inns of Court, where he made a conſiderable proficiency in the ſtudy of the law. He was elected member of parliament for Tukesbury in Glouceſterſhire, in the parliament that met at Weſtminſter the 13th of April, 1640, being

then about twenty-five years of age. In the beginning of the civil war, 'tis ſaid he raiſed a regiment for the ſervice of King Charles I. being then ſheriff of the county of Dorſet, and made governor of Weymouth in that county; but colonel William Aſhburnham being made governor of the county of Dorſet, whereby Weymouth became dependent on him, Sir Anthony, imagining that his loyalty was ſuſpected, came up to London, and offered his ſervice to that part of the parliament which ſat there, who gave him a regiment of horſe, and the command of all their forces in Dorſetſhire. But notwithſtanding he appeared a hearty champion in the cauſe of the parliament, he ſeems to have oppoſed Cromwell's uſurpation with great ſpirit; whereupon Sir Anthony, and above a hundred more of the ſame ſtamp, being kept out of the houſe of commons by force, publiſhed a remonſtrance, ſetting forth that the Protector had aſſumed abſolute and arbitrary power, and that every man ought to aſſiſt in oppoſing it. That the ſmall number of members he ſuffered to remain in the houſe could not pretend to be the repreſentatives of the people; they were not entruſted to conſent to any thing in behalf of the nation, if the reſt were excluded from ſitting and debating matters in the houſe; which had ſuch an influence on the next convention the Protector called, that they began to queſtion his authority; whereupon he diſſolved them, and ever after diſcountenanced and oppreſſed the Presbyterian and Republican party. Whereupon Sir Anthony and his friends began to turn their eyes upon the King, believing his reſtoration would prove a leſs evil than the tyrannical government they were under; and as the King's circumſtances were very low at this time, and he appeared forſaken by all the princes of Europe, they did not doubt but they ſhould get the Presbyterian ſect eſtabliſhed, and the prerogatives of the crown conſiderably reduced, if they engaged to aſſiſt him in his re-

ſtoration. After the death of Cromwell, the Rump parliament appointed him one of their council of ſtate, and a commiſſioner for managing the affairs of their army, which did not divert him from his deſign of reſtoring the King, 'tis ſaid; and, in the year 1659, he was accuſed before the Rump, of keeping a correſpondence with his Majeſty, and raiſing men to join Sir George Booth for that end; for which he was impriſoned, with a great many other men of figure. He was, however, acquitted of the charge, and afterwards intruſted by the Rump with the command of of a regiment of horſe, being one of the firſt which declared for general Monk and a free parliament; and, when the convention had declared for the King, he was one of the twelve members ſent by that houſe to the King, with ſix peers, to invite his Majeſty to return and take the government of the kingdom upon him: whereupon the King, with this committee of parliament, embarked for England, and arrived at Dover, May 25, 1660, and coming to Canterbury the next day, general Monk, and Sir Anthony Aſhley Cooper, was ſworn of the privy council; and Sir Anthony was afterwards appointed one of the commiſſioners for the trial of the regicides; and, three days before the coronation, he was created Baron Aſhley of Winbourne St. Giles's; ſoon after he was conſtituted chancellor and under-treaſurer of the Exchequer; and, in May 1667, he was conſtituted one of the commiſſioners of the treaſury. In 1672 he was created Lord Cooper of Pawlet, in the county of Somerſet, and conſtituted lord high-chancellor of England.

One of the moſt remarkable ſpeeches he made in the houſe of Peers, when he was lord chancellor, was that in relation to the Dutch war, in which he ſuggeſts, that the Hollanders were our greateſt enemies in point of trade, and therefore ought to be extirpated; *Delenda eſt Carthago* were his words. He ad-

viſed his Majeſty alſo to iſſue his declaration for the indulgence of the Diſſenters, which the parliament reſolved was a diſpenſing with the penal laws; and yet, when the matter came to be debated in the houſe of lords, none cenſured it more ſeverely. On the other hand, it is ſaid, he promoted the teſt for rendering Papiſts incapable of enjoying any office or place of truſt, which obliged the Duke of York to lay down his poſt of high-admiral, and all the other places he held; which the court reſenting, the ſeals were taken from Lord Shaftesbury, and he became as ſtrenuous an oppoſer of the court, as ever he had been an advocate for its meaſures.

He was, however, conſtituted preſident of the council in April 1679; but continuing his oppoſition to the Duke of York, and endeavouring to get him excluded from the crown, he was laid aſide again in March following, and became exceeding popular among the Presbyterian and Republican party; and no man proſecuted thoſe who were charged with the Popiſh plot with greater violence: but his enemies rendering him ſuſpected of being in a plot of another nature, he thought fit to retire to Holland, where he died Jan. 22, 1682-3.

He had married three wives; 1. Margaret, daughter of Thomas Lord Coventry, by whom he had no children. 2. The Lady Frances, daughter of David Earl of Exeter, by whom he had his ſon Anthony, afterwards Earl of Shaftesbury. 3. He married Margaret, daughter of William Lord Spencer, by whom he had no iſſue.

Arms.] Argent, three bulls paſſant, ſable, armed and unguled, or.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules, turned up, ermine, a bull paſſant, ſable, gorged with a mural coronet, and armed, or.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a bull ſable, his ducal collar, or. On the ſiniſter, a talbot, azure, gorged as the dexter. *Motto.*]

Motto.] *Love, ſerve.*

Chief Seats.] At Winborne St. Giles, in the county of Dorſet; at Rockburn-houſe, in the county of Southampton; and in Margaret-ſtreet, Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

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24. LEE, EARL OF LITCHFIELD.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE HENRY LEE, Earl of LITCHFIELD, Viſcount Quarendon, Baron of Spelsbury, and Baronet, and cuſtos-brevium in the court of Common-Pleas, ſucceeded George-Henry, the late Earl, his father, Feb. 15, 1742-3, and married Diana, only daughter of Sir Thomas Frankland, Bart. by whom he has no children.

George-Henry Lee, late Earl of Litchfield, father of the preſent Earl, born March 12, 1689, married, July 14, 1716, Frances, daughter of Sir John Hales, of Woodchurch, in the county of Kent, Bart. by whom he had iſſue, three ſons and five daughters:

1. George-Henry, the preſent Earl.
2. Edward-Henry, who married, Sept. 29, 1743, to Miſs Derander, ſince dead.
3. Charles-Henry, who died July 7, 1740.
4. Lady Charlotte, married, in Jan. 1744-5, to the Lord Viſcount Dillon.
5. Lady Mary, married, July 31, 1742, Coſmas Nevil, of Holt in Leiceſterſhire, Eſq;
6. Lady Frances, married to Lord Cornbury, ſon to the laſt Earl of Clarendon.
7. Lady Harriot, married to Lord Bellew, died in April 1752.
8. Lady Anne, married Hugh Lord Clifford, Dec. 17, 1749.

Fitzroy-Henry Lee (the admiral) brother of the late Earl, died April 19, 1750; and Robert Lee, an-

other brother, married Miſs Kitty Stonehouſe, daughter of Sir John Stonehouſe, Bart. of Berkſhire.

This noble Earl is deſcended from Sir Walter Lee, of Wyburnbury, in the county of Cheſter, the family taking their name from the lordſhip of Lee, in the ſaid pariſh, where they reſided in the reign of King Edward III. Sir Henry, another of the anceſtors of this noble Earl, was of the privy-council to King Henry VII. and King Henry VIII. He alſo ſerved King Edward VI. Queen Mary, and Queen Elizabeth, being very eminent for his abilities, both as a ſtateſman and a ſoldier.

Arms.] Argent, a feſs between three creſcents, ſable.

Creſt.] In a marquis's coronet, or, a demi ſtone column, argent; and on its capital a bird's leg, erazed at the thigh, perched, preyed on by a faulcon, all proper.

Supporters.] Two lions ermine, each gorged with a plain collar, argent, having thereon three creſcents, ſable.

Motto.] *Fide & Conſtantia.*

Chief Seats] At Ditchley in Oxfordſhire; and in Bruton-ſtreet, London.

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25. BERKELEY, EARL OF BERKELEY.

THE Right Honourable FREDERICK AUGUSTUS BERKELEY, Earl of BERKELEY, Viſcount Durſley, Baron Berkeley of Berkeley-caſtle, Mowbray, Segrave, and Breaus of Gower, born May 24, 1745, ſucceeded his father Auguſtus, the late Earl, Jan. 9, 1755.

The late Earl married, May 7, 1744, Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Drax, Eſq; of Charborough in Dorſetſhire, one of the ladies of the bedchamber to her royal highneſs the princeſs of Wales; and by her,

who was married, 2dly, to Robert Nugent, Eſq; one of the lords of the treaſury, and by whom ſhe had a daughter, born Dec. 10, 1758, he had iſſue,

Frederick-Auguſtus, the preſent Earl.

James, born July 25, 1747, who died the year after.

The ladies Louiſa, Elizabeth, and Frances, all three born July 28, 1748, but died ſoon after.

Lady Georgina-Auguſta, born Sept. 28, 1749.

Lady Elizabeth, born in December 1750.

George-Cranfield, born Aug. 10, 1753.

This noble family are deſcended from Robert Fitz-Harding, who obtained a grant of Berkeley-caſtle in Glouceſterſhire (which the family ſtill inherit, and from whence they obtained the ſurname of Berkeley) from Henry Duke of Normandy, afterwards King of England, the ſaid Robert Fitz-Harding, being deſcended from the royal line of the Kings of Denmark.

Arms.] Gules, a chevron between ten croſſes pattee, ſix above, and four below, argent.

Creſt.] On a wreath a mitre, gules, garniſhed, or, charged with the paternal coat.

Supporters.] Two lions, argent, the ſiniſter having a ducal crown, and plain collar and chain, or.

Motto.] *Dieu avec nous.*

Chief Seats.] At Berkeley-caſtle in Glouceſterſhire; and at Craneford in Middleſex.

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26. BERTIE, EARL OF ABINGDON.

THE Right Hon. WILLOUGHBY BERTIE, Earl of ABINGDON, and Baron Norris of Rycote, ſucceeded his father Willoughby, the late Earl, June 10, 1760.

Willoughby, the late Earl, ſon of James, ſecond ſon of James the firſt Earl of Abingdon, born Nov. 28, 1692, ſucceeded Montagu his uncle, and mar-

ried, in Aug. 1727, Anna Maria, daughter of Sir John Collins, Bart. by whom he had iſſue three ſons and ſeven daughters, viz.

1. James Lord Norris, who was burnt in his bed at Rycote.

2. Willoughby, ſecond ſon, now Lord Norris, born Jan. 16, 1740.

3. Peregrine, third ſon, born March 13, 1741.

4. Lady Elizabeth.
5. Lady Jane.
6. Lady Bridget.
7. Lady Anne.
8. Lady Eleonora.
9. Lady Mary, born Nov. 12, 1746. And,
10. Lady Sophia, born Nov. 6, 1748.

Sir James Bertie, Knt. father of the preſent Earl, born March 13, 1673, married, in Jan. 1691-2, Elizabeth, daughter and heireſs of George Lord Willoughby of Parham, by whom he had iſſue,

1. Willoughby, the preſent Earl.
2. Edward, who died Sept. 21, 1733.
3. The Rev. William Bertie.
4. John.
5. Lady Bridget, who married to Robert Coytmor, of Carnarvonſhire, Eſq; by whom ſhe had iſſue a ſon and two daughters.

The firſt of the family of Bertie that bore the title of Earl of Abingdon, was James Bertie, Lord Norris of Rycote, being created Earl of Abingdon in 1682, 34 Car. II. who married Eleonora, eldeſt daughter of Sir Henry Lee, of Ditchley in Oxfordſhire, by whom he had iſſue ſix ſons and three daughters, viz.

1. Montagu, the late Earl.
2. James.
3. Henry.
4. Robert.
5. Peregrine.
6. Charles.
7. Lady Bridget, married to Richard Lord Viſcount Bulkeley, of the kingdom of Ireland.
8. Lady Anne, married to Sir William Courtney, of Powderam-caſtle, in Devonſhire. And,
9. Lady Mary, who died unmarried. The ſaid Earl James, their father, died in 1699. *Arms.*]

Arms.] Argent, three battering-rams barways, proper, armed and garniſhed, azure; an annulet for difference.

Creſt.] On a wreath, the head and buſt of a king couped, proper, crowned ducally, and charged on the cheſt with a fret, or.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a pilgrim, or friar, veſted in ruſſet, with his ſtaff and pater-noſter in his hand, or. On the ſiniſter, a ſavage wreathed about the temples and middle with ivy, proper; on each of their cheſts a fret, or.

Motto.] *Virtus ariete fortior.*

Chief Seats]. At Witham, in Berkſhire; Rycote, in Oxfordſhire; Lincoln's-Inn Fields, London.

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27. NOEL, EARL OF GAINSBOROUGH.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS NOEL, Earl of GAINSBOROUGH, Viſcount Campden of Campden, Baron Noel of Ridlington, Baron Hicks of Ilmington, Baron Noel of Titchfield, and baronet, ſucceeded his brother Baptiſt, the late Earl, in May 1759.

Baptiſt, the late Earl, born June 8, 1740, ſucceeded his father Baptiſt, March 21, 1750-1, and died upon his travels at Geneva.

Baptiſt, father of the late and preſent Earls, had iſſue by Elizabeth Chapman, his wife, who married, 2dly, in Nov. 1756, Thomas Noel, Eſq;

1. Lady Elizabeth, born in 1731.

2. Lady Jane, born in 1733, married to Gerrard Anne Edwards, Eſq;

3. Lady Juliana, born in 1734-5.

4. Lady Penelope, born in 1735-6, and died young.

5. Lady Anne, born in 1737.

6. Baptiſt, the late Earl.
7. Lady Lucy.
8. Thomas, the preſent Earl.
9. Charles, who died young.
10. Mary.
11. Suſanna.
12. Sophia.

Baptiſt Noel, Earl of Gainſborough, and grandfather of the preſent Earl, ſucceeded his couſin Baptiſt-Wriotheſley, Earl of Gainſborough, in 1690. He married the Lady Dorothy, ſecond daughter of John Duke of Rutland, who died April 17, 1714, in the 29th year of her age, leaving iſſue, three ſons and three daughters, viz.

1. Baptiſt, father of the late Earl.
2. John, who died Dec. 26, 1718.
3. James.
4. Lady Catharine.
5. Lady Suſannah, married to Anthony-Aſhley Cooper, Earl of Shaftesbury.
6. Lady Mary, who died young, in 1718.

This noble Earl is deſcended from —— Noel, who came into England with William the Conqueror; and in conſideration of his ſervices, obtained a grant of ſeveral manors and lands of very great value.

Arms.] Or, fretty of ten pieces, gules, a canton, ermine.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a buck at gaze, argent; attired, or.

Supporters.] Two bulls, argent; armed and unguled, proper.

Motto.] *Tout bien ou rien.*

Chief Seats.] At Extonbrook in the county of Rutland; and Cavendiſh-ſquare, London.

28. D'ARCY,

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THE Right Hon. ROBERT D'ARCY, Earl of HOLDERNESS, Baron D'Arcy, Menel, and Conyers, one of his Majeſty's principal ſecretaries of ſtate, and of the privy-council, and lord lieutenant of the North-riding of the county of York, keeper of the liberty and foreſt of Richmond, conſtable of Middleham-caſtle in Yorkſhire, and governor of the Charter houſe, ſucceeded his father Robert in Jan. 1721-2; and, in Nov. 1743, married Mary, daughter of the Sieur Doublet, one of the nobles of Holland, by whom he had iſſue,

1. George, born in Sept. 1745, who died at two years of age.

2. Thomas, born May 7, 1750, and died in July following.

3. Lady Amelia, born Oct. 12, 1754.

Robert, late Earl of Holderneſs, father of the preſent Earl, married the Lady Frederica, eldeſt daughter and coheir to Meinhardt Sconbergh, Duke Sconbergh in England, and died Jan. 20, 1721-2, leaving iſſue, beſides the preſent Earl, a daughter, named Louiſa-Carolina, married to William Earl of Ancram, who had iſſue by her one ſon and a daughter.

This noble Earl is deſcended from Norman D'Arcy, who came over with the Conqueror; and it appears in Doomſday-Book, where the general ſurvey of England made by the Conqueror is recorded, that Norman D'Arcy held of him thirty-three lordſhips in Lincolnſhire, by the immediate grant of the Conqueror.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt, azure, ſemee of croſs croſslets, and three cinquefoils, argent, for D'Arcy. Second, azure, three bars gemel, and a chief, or. Third, azure, a maunch, or, for Conyers. Fourth, gules, a ſaltire, argent, thereon a mullet, for Nevile.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a ſpear broken in three pieces, or, headed, argent, and banded together at their middle by a ribbon, gules.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a tyger, argent; on the ſiniſter a bull, ſable, armed, or.

Motto.] *Un Dieu, un Roy.*

Chief Seats.] At Hornby-caſtle in Yorkſhire; at Aſton, Hurdwick, and Patrick-Brampton in the ſame county; and Arlington-ſtreet, London.

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29. WINDSOR-HICKMAN, EARL OF PLYMOUTH.

THE Right Hon. OTHER-LEWIS WINDSOR HICKMAN, Earl of PLYMOUTH, and Baron Windſor of Bradenham in Buckinghamſhire, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Glamorgan, comptroller of Cheſhire and Flintſhire, and conſtable of Flint-caſtle, born May 12, 1731, ſucceeded his father Other, the late Earl, in his honours and eſtate, Nov. 27, 1732, and married, Aug. 11, 1750, Catharine, eldeſt daughter of Thomas Lord Archer, by whom he has iſſue,

1. Other Lord Windſor, born May 30, 1751.
2. Thomas, born May 19, 1752.
3. Andrew, who died the day he was born.
4. Lady ——, born Dec. 3, 1755.
5. Lady ——, born May 3, 1757,
6. A ſon born Sept. 23, 1758; and,
7. Another ſon, born Jan. 4, 1760.

Other Hickman Windſor, late Earl of Plymouth, father of the preſent Earl, born June 30, 1707, was married, May 7, 1730, to Elizabeth, only daughter to Thomas Lewis, of Soberton, Eſq; and by her (who died Nov. 9, 1733) had iſſue only one ſon, viz. the preſent Earl.

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This noble Earl is deſcended from Robert Fitz-Hickman, lord of the manor of Bloxham in Oxfordſhire, 56 Hen. III. in 1272; and he is maternally deſcended from the noble family of the Windſors, who were barons of the realm at the time of the conqueſt. Thomas Windſor, great-grandfather of the preſent Earl, having raiſed a troop at his own charges, and ſerved King Charles I. with great courage and fidelity during the continuance of the civil wars, and ſuffered very much during Cromwell's uſurpation, was immediately after the reſtoration, viz. in the twelfth year of King Charles II. reſtored to the ſtile and title of Lord Windſor; and in the thirty-fourth of King Charles II. created Earl of Plymouth.

Arms.] Gules, a ſaltire, argent, between twelve croſs croſlets, or,

Creſt.] On a wreath, a buck's head erazed, proper, attired, or.

Supporters.] Two unicorns, argent, armed, creſted, tufted, and hoofed, or,

Motto.] *Je me fie en Dieu.*

Chief Seats.] At Hewel Grange, in the county of Worceſter and Warwick; at Peel-Hall in Cheſhire; and Hanover-ſquare, London.

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30. STAFFORD-HOWARD, EARL OF STAFFORD.

THE Right Hon. JOHN PAUL STAFFORD-HOWARD, Earl of STAFFORD, Baron Stafford of Stafford-caſtle, in the county of Stafford, ſucceeded his nephew William Matthias Stafford on his deceaſe, which happened Feb. 28, 1750-1.

The preſent Earl married, in June 1738, Elizabeth, daughter of A. Ewen of the county of Somerſet, Eſq; and Elizabeth his wife, eldeſt daughter of John St. Albin of Alfoxton in the ſame county, Eſq;

William, the ſecond Earl of Stafford, father of the late Earl, ſucceeded his uncle Henry, and died in Jan. 1733. He married Anne, daughter of George Holman of Warkworth, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue, 1. William Matthias, the late Earl. 2. Lady Mary, who married the Count de Chabot in France. 3. Lady Anaſtaſia; and, 4. Lady Anne, both nuns at Paris.

The late Lord married, in July 1743, Henrietta, daughter of Richard Cantillon, Eſq; by whom he had no iſſue.

This noble Earl is deſcended from Robert de Toeni, who attended William Duke of Normandy in his invaſion of England; and, at the time of the general ſurvey, was poſſeſſed of more than a hundred lordſhips in England, and of the caſtle of Stafford in Warwickſhire, from whence the family took the name of Stafford.

Arms.] Gules, in the middle, a bend between ſix croſs croſlets, argent, a ſhield, or, therein a demilion rampant, pierced through the mouth with an arrow, as in the Duke of Norfolk's.

Creſt.] Out of a ducal coronet, per pale, ſable and gules, a ſwan iſſuing, proper.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a lion, argent; charged on the ſhoulder with a creſcent, ſable. On the ſiniſter, a ſwan, with wings expanded, proper; gorged with a ducal coronet, party-per-pale, gules and ſable.

Motto.] *Abſtulit qui dedit.*

Chief Seats.] At Sheffnal-manor, in the county of Salop; in Germain ſtreet, London.

31. LUMLEY-SAUNDERSON, EARL OF SCARBOROUGH.

THE Right Hon. RICHARD LUMLEY SAUNDERSON, Earl of SCARBOROUGH, Viſcount and Baron Lumley, of Lumley-caſtle; and Viſcount Lumley of Waterford in the kingdom of Ireland; ſucceeded his father Thomas, the late Earl, March 15, 1752, and married, Dec. 12, 1752, Barbara, ſiſter to Sir George Saville of Rufford in Nottinghamſhire, Bart. by whom he has iſſue,

1. George Auguſtus, born Oct. 24, 1753.
2. Lady Frances Barbara Ludlow Lumley, born Feb. 25, 1756.
3. A ſon, born April 3, 1757.
4. A ſon, born June 22, 1760.

Thomas, the late Earl of Scarborough, married the Lady Frances, daughter of George Hamilton, Earl of Orkney, by whom he has had iſſue two ſons and three daughters, viz.

1. Richard, the preſent Earl.
2. George, who died Dec. 11, 1739.
3. Lady Frances, married, in June 1753, to Peter Ludlow of Ardſallah, in the county of Meath in Ireland, Eſq; now Lord Ludlow.
4. Lady Anne. And,
5. Lady Harriot, who died Nov. 6, 1747.

Richard Lord Viſcount Lumley, grandfather of the preſent Earl, was, on the 10th of April, 1689, advanced to the dignity of Viſcount Lumley of Lumley-caſtle; and on the 15th of April, 1690, (1 William and Mary) created Earl of Scarborough. He married Frances, only daughter and heir of Sir Henry Jones, of Aſton in Oxfordſhire; and, departing this life on the 17th of Dec. 1721, had iſſue ſeven ſons and four daughters, viz.

1. Henry, who died July 14, 1710.

2. Richard, who ſucceeded his father, died unmarried in February, 1739-40.

3. William, who was killed in an engagement at ſea, April 9, 1709.

4. Thomas, the late Earl.

5. Charles Lumley, Eſq; who died Aug. 11, 1727.

6. John, who died in October, 1739. And,

7. James.

8. Lady Mary, married to George Montagu, late Earl of Halliſax, and had iſſue. See Earl of *Halliſax*.

9. Lady Barbara, married to the Hon. Charles Leigh, of Leighton in Bedfordſhire, Eſq;

10. Lady Anne; married to Frederick Frankland, Eſq; and died without iſſue in Feb. 1739-40. And,

11. Lady Henrietta. The Lady Frances, their mother, died in March, 1737.

This noble Earl is deſcended from Liulph, a nobleman of great fame, in the reign of Edward the Confeſſor, and took the name of Lumley, from Lumley-caſtle, in the biſhopric of Durham, where the family reſided many years.

Arms.] Argent, a feſs, gules, between three parrots, proper, collared as the ſecond, being the arms of the ancient Barons Thweng, from one of the heirs whereof his Lordſhip is lineally deſcended; but the ancient arms of Lumley are, gules, ſix martlets, argent.

Creſt.] On a wreath, in her neſt, proper, a pelican feeding her young, argent, vulned, proper.

Supporters.] Two parrots, with wings expanded, proper, i. e. vert, beaked and membered, gules.

Motto.] *Murus æneus conſcientia ſana.*

Chief Seats.] At Sandbeck, in Yorkſhire; at Stanſtead, in Suſſex; at Glentworth, in Lincolnſhire; and in Groſvenor-ſtreet, London.

32. NEWPORT, EARL OF BRADFORD.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS NEWPORT, Earl of BRADFORD, Viſcount Newport, and Baron of High-Ercal, ſucceeded his brother Richard in honour and eſtate, who died unmarried. He is a lunatic, and unmarried.

Richard, the late Earl, ſucceeded his brother Henry, who died Dec. 23, 1734.

Richard, father of the preſent and the two preceding Earls, married Mary, daughter of Sir Thomas Wilbraham of Woodhey in the county of Cheſter, Bart. and by her, who died in 1738, had four ſons, Henry, Richard, Thomas, and William, of which the three firſt ſucceeded him, and William died before his father; and four daughters, Lady Mary, who died unmarried; Lady Elizabeth, married in Sept. 1718, to James Cocks of the city of Worceſter, Eſq; Lady Anne, on the 8th of April, 1719, to Sir Orlando Bridgman of Blodwell in the county of Salop, Bart. and the Lady Diana to Algernoon Coote, the ſixth Earl of Montrath in Ireland. His Lordſhip died June 4, 1723, and was ſucceeded by his eldeſt ſon Henry.

The anceſtors of this family were very inſtrumental in bringing Wales under the dominion of the crown of England, particularly Sir William Newport, who defeated 8000 Welſh in Glamorganſhire, in the ſixth year of King Henry IV. This family alſo contributed to the Revolution in 1688, and ſetting King William and Queen Mary on the throne.

Creations.] Baron Newport of High-Ercal in Shropſhire, by letters-patent dated Oct. 14, 1642, 18 Car. I. Viſcount Newport of Bradford in Shropſhire, 11th March, 1674, 27 Car. II. and Earl of Bradford in the ſame county May 11, 1694, 6 Will. and Mary.

Arms.]

Arms.] Argent or chevron gules between three leopards faces, ſable.

Creſt.] On a wreath an unicorn's head eraſed, gules, armed and gorged with a ducal coronet, or.

Supporters.] Two leopards guardant, proper.

Motto.] *Ne ſupra modum ſapere.*

Chief Seats.] At High-Ercal in Shropſhire, at Eaton in the ſame county, and at Weſton in Staffordſhire.

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33. DE ZULEISTEIN, EARL OF ROCHFORD.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM HENRY NASSAU DE ZULEISTEIN, Earl of ROCHFORD, Viſcount Tunbridge, Baron of Enfield, groom of the ſtole to his Majeſty, one of his Majeſty's privy council, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Eſſex, and vice-admiral of the coaſts in the ſame county; was born Sept. 17, 1717, ſucceeded his father Frederick the late Earl in June 1738; and married Lucy, daughter of Edward Young, Eſq; of Durnford, near Sarum, in Wiltſhire, by whom he has no iſſue.

Frederick, late Earl of Rochford, father of the preſent Earl, married Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Savage, Earl Rivers; and dying in June, 1738, left iſſue, beſides the preſent Earl, Richard Savage Naſſau, born June 1, 1723, who was married, Dec. 24, 1751, to the Dutcheſs Dowager of Hamilton, by whom he has a ſon, William Henry, born July 28, 1754; another ſon, born Sept. 5, 1756; and a daughter, born Nov. 3, 1754.

This noble Earl is deſcended from Frederick Naſſau de Zuleiſtein, natural ſon of Frederick Naſſau Prince of Orange, grandfather of King William III. which Frederick de Zuleiſtein was general of foot in the

the Dutch ſervice, and was killed at the battle of Woerden, in defence of his country, in 1672.

His ſon William Henry was ſent by the Prince of Orange to King James II. to congratulate him on the birth of the Prince of Wales; but chiefly to learn how the Engliſh ſtood affected towards him, and he carried back with him to Holland ſuch invitations from many of the nobility and gentry, as encouraged the Prince and the States to make a deſcent in England ſoon after, whereby the Revolution was effected.

He ſerved under King William in the wars of Ireland, and the Netherlands; and in conſideration of his merit, and near alliance to his Majeſty, was created Earl of Rochford, &c.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt, azure ſemee of billets, and a lion rampant, gules, crowned with a ducal coronet, azure; argent, a feſs, gules; four gules, two lions paſſant, guardant in pale, or; over all in an eſcutcheon, gules; three gules, argent, and ſometimes a lion rampant, ſable.

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, or, a pair of buck's horns, gules.

Supporters.] Two lions erminois, ducally crowned, azure.

Motto.] *Spes durat Avorum.*

Chief Seats.] At Eaſton, in Suffolk; at Loughton-hall and Oſyth, in the county of Eſſex; and at Zuleſtein, in Holland.

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34. KEPPEL, EARL OF ALBEMARLE.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE KEPPEL, Earl of ALBEMARLE, Viſcount Bury, Baron Aſhford of Aſhford in Kent, and lieutenant-general, was born April 8, 1724; and his father dying the 22d of Dec. 1754, he ſucceeded to his honours and eſtates.

His

His father, William Anne Keppel, late Earl of Albemarle, one of the lords of his Majeſty's bedchamber, colonel of the ſecond regiment of foot guards, a lieutenant-general, governor of Virginia, ambaſſador to France, and knight of the moſt noble order of the garter, was born June 5, 1702, ſucceeded his father Arnold Jooſt in 1718; and on the 21ſt of Feb. 1722-3, was married to the Lady Anne Lenox, ſiſter to his Grace the late Duke of Richmond, and by her had iſſue eight ſons and ſeven daughters, viz.

1. George, the preſent Earl.
2. Commodore Auguſtus Keppel, captain of the Torbay man of war.
3. James, died young.
4. William, captain in the firſt regiment of foot-guards, and gentleman of the horſe to his Majeſty.
5. Frederick, chaplain in ordinary to his Majeſty, and one of the prebends of Windſor; married to Miſs Walpole, daughter of Sir Edward Walpole, a knight of the Bath, Sept. 13, 1758, by whom he had a daughter, born June 18, 1759.
6. Lady Sophia; and,
7. Lady Mary, both dead.
8. Lady Anne, died in Jan. 1754,
9. Lady Naſſau,
10. Thomas, and,
11. Edward, all three dead.
12. Lady Caroline.
13. Lady Elizabeth.
14. Henry.
15. Lady Amelia, died young.

Arnold Jooſt Van Keppel, Earl of Albemarle, grandfather of the preſent Earl, deſcended from an ancient noble family of the province of Gelderland, being a younger ſon of Bernard Van Pallant, Lord of Keppel, by Agnes Charlotte Elizabeth, the daughter of Jacob Van Waſſeraer, Lord Opdam. The ſaid Arnold came over into England with the Prince of Orange in 1688,

to whom he was very dear. He was a member of the nobles of Holland, deputy-foreſter of that province, and general of the Dutch horſe in the ſervice of the States General.

He married in Holland, in 1701, Iſabella, ſecond daughter of S. Gravemoor, general of the forces of the States General, by whom he had iſſue the late Earl, his only ſon; and the Lady Sophia, his only daughter, married to John Thomas, Eſq; He died at the Hague, in the forty-eighth year of his age, Anno 1718.

Arms.] Gules, three eſcallop-ſhells, argent.

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, or, a demi-ſwan cloſe, proper.

Supporters.] Two lions, ducally crowned, or.

Motto.] *Ne cede malis.*

Chief Seats.] At Durhams, near Barnet, in the county of Middleſex; and at Voorſt and Loo in Holland; Bolton-ſtreet, London.

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35. COVENTRY, EARL of COVENTRY.

THE Right Hon. George William Coventry, Earl of Coventry, Viſcount Deerhurſt, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county and city of Worceſter, and a lord of the bedchamber to his Majeſty, ſucceeded his father the late Earl William, who died March 18, 1751.

His Lordſhip married, March 5, 1752, Maria, eldeſt daughter of John Gunning, Eſq; by his wife Bridget, daughter of John Viſcount Mayo, in Ireland, by whom he has,

1. Lady Elizabeth Anne, born in 1753, died Aug. 22, 1756.

2. Lady Maria Alicia, born in Dec. 1754.

3. Lady Anne Margaret.
4. Lady ——, born March 18, 1757; and,
5. A ſon and heir, born April 28, 1758.

The late Earl, father of the preſent, married Elizabeth, daughter to Mr. John Allen of the city of Weſtminſter, by whom he had iſſue three ſons.

1. Thomas Henry, Viſcount Deerhurſt, who died in the year 1744.
2. George William, the preſent Earl.
3. John Bulkeley.

Walter Coventry, Eſq; father of the late Earl, married Anne, daughter of Simon Holcomb, of Devon, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue four ſons:

1. Walter, who died on the 5th of April, 1677.
2. William, the late Earl.
3. Thomas, who married Mary, daughter and heir of —— Green, of Henley in Buckinghamſhire, Eſq;
4. Henry, married to Anne, daughter to Mr. Coles of the city of Oxford.

This noble Earl is deſcended from John Coventry, a native of the city of Coventry, and afterwards mercer and lord mayor of London in the reign of Henry V. from whom deſcended Thomas Coventry, one of the juſtices of the court of Common-pleas in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, whoſe ſon Thomas was recorder of London, and afterwards lord-keeper of the great ſeal in the reign of King Charles I. of whom Earl Clarendon gives the following character, 'That he diſcharged all the offices he went through 'with great abilities, and ſingular reputation of integrity: That he enjoyed his place of lord-keeper 'with univerſal reputation; juſtice was never better 'adminiſtered for the ſpace of ſixteen years, even to 'his death, being then near ſixty years of age.'

His youngeſt daughter Dorothy, who married Sir John Packington, is ſaid to have written *The whole Duty of Man.*

Arms.]

Arms.] Sable, a feſs, ermine, between three creſcents, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath a garb, or, and thereon a dunghill-cock perched, gules, comb, wattles, and leg, or.

Supporters.] Two eagles, wings expanded, argent; membered and beaked, or.

Motto.] *Candidè & Conſtanter.*

Chief Seats.] At Crome d'Abitot, in Worceſterſhire; Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

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36. VILLIERS, EARL OF JERSEY.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM VILLIERS, Earl of JERSEY, Viſcount Villiers of Dartford, and Baron of Hoo, one of the lords of his majeſty's privy council, ſucceeded his father William, the late Earl, July 13, 1721; and married, June 23, 1733, the Lady Anne Egerton, daughter to Scroop late Duke of Bridgwater, and relict of Wriotheſley Ruſſel, late Duke of Bedford, by whom he had iſſue two ſons, viz.

1. Frederick William, Lord Villiers, who died in October, 1742. And,

2. George Buſhy, the preſent Lord Villiers, born June 9, 1735.

William Villiers, Earl of Jerſey, father of the preſent Earl, married Judith, only daughter to Frederick Hern, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue two ſons and one daughter:

1. The preſent Earl.

2. Thomas Villiers, his ſecond ſon, now Lord Hyde. See Lord HYDE.

3. Lady Barbara, married, in 1725, to Sir William Blacket, of the county of Northumberland, Bart. but he dying on the 27th of Auguſt, 1728, ſhe was married, on the 13th of March, 1728-9, to Buſhy Manſel, Eſq; late Lord Manſel, and has iſſue one only daughter, viz. Lady Barbara.

The

The Counteſs, their mother, died in July, 1735.

This noble Earl is deſcended from the family of Villiers in Normandy, ſome of whom came over to England with the Conqueror; ſeveral manors and land in England being ſoon after granted to Pagan de Villiers, one of this Earl's anceſtors.

Arms.] Argent, on a croſs of St. George, gules, five eſcallop-ſhells, or; a creſcent for difference.

Creſt.] On a wreath a lion rampant, argent, and ducally crowned, or.

Supporters.] Two lions, argent, crowned with ducal coronets, or; each having a plain collar, gules, charged with three eſcallop-ſhells of the ſecond.

Motto.] *Fidei Coticula Crux.*

Chief Seats.] At Middleton-ſtony, in Oxfordſhire; Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

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37. POULET, EARL POULET.

THE Right Hon. JOHN POULET, Earl POULET, Viſcount and Baron Poulet of Hinton St. George, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Somerſet, ſucceeded his father the late Earl John, May 28, 1743, and is yet unmarried.

John Lord Poulet, father of the preſent Earl, was created Viſcount of Hinton St. George, and Earl Poulet, Dec. 29, 1706. His Lordſhip married Bridget, daughter and coheir to Peregrine Bertie, Eſq; brother to Robert Earl of Lindſey, by whom he had four ſons and four daughters, viz.

1. John, the preſent Earl.
2. Peregrine, who died in October, 1752.
3. Vere, who married, in 1754, Mary, daughter of Richard Butt, of Arlington in the county of Glouceſter, Eſq; by whom he had a ſon and heir, born in April, 1756.
4. Anne.

5. Lady Bridget, married, May 21, 1724, to Polexfen Baſtard, of Kettley in Devonſhire, Eſq; and has iſſue, William, Edmond, and Baldwin Polexfen.

6. Lady Catharine, married, June 26, 1725, to John Parker, Eſq; of Barrington in Devonſhire, and has iſſue, Henrietta, Catharine, Bridget, John, and Montague; and died Aug. 16, 1758.

7. Lady Suſanna; and,

8. Lady Rebecca, both unmarried.

This noble Earl is deſcended from a younger branch of the Duke of Bolton's family.

Arms.] Sable, three ſwords in pile, their points in baſe, argent; pomels and hilts, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath, an arm embowed, and brandiſhing a broad ſword, all proper.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a ſavage man; on the ſiniſter, a woman, both proper, wreathed about their temples and loins with ivy, vert.

Motto.] *Gardez la Foy.*

Chief Seats.] At Hinton St. George, in Somerſetſhire; at Buckland, in Dorſetſhire; in York-buildings, London.

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38. GODOLPHIN, EARL OF GODOLPHIN.

THE Right Hon. FRANCIS GODOLPHIN, Earl of GODOLPHIN, Viſcount Rialton, Baron Godolphin, and Baron Helſton, governor of the Scilly Iſlands, and one of the Lords of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy-council, was born on the 3d of September, 1678, and ſucceeded the late Earl his father on his death, Sept. 15, 1712. He married the Lady Henrietta, eldeſt daughter of John Duke of Marlborough, who became Dutcheſs of Marlborough on her father's deceaſe. The Earl had iſſue by her three ſons and three daughters:

1. William, Marquis of Blandford, who died without iſſue.

2. Henry, who died young.

3. Lady Margaret, who died young.

4. Lady Henrietta, married to his Grace Thomas Pelham Holles, Duke of Newcaſtle.

5. Lady Mary, married to his Grace Thomas Duke of Leeds.

Sidney Earl of Godolphin, third ſon of Sir Francis Godolphin, and father of the preſent Earl, married Margaret, fourth daughter of Thomas Blagne, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue only the preſent Earl, of whom his mother died in child-bed in September, 1678.

At the Revolution, 1688, his Lordſhip and many other noble Peers voted for a regency during the life of King James, propoſing to have made the Princeſs of Orange, his eldeſt daughter, regent; but it being carried to proclaim the Prince and Princeſs of Orange King and Queen, and to veſt the executive power ſolely in the Prince, he ſubmitted to it, and was conſtituted one of the commiſſioners of the treaſury again, and in 1690 firſt commiſſioner.

In the beginning of the reign of Queen Anne, in the year 1702, he was ſworn into the office of lord-treaſurer of England: in 1704, he was elected one of the knights of the moſt noble order of the garter; and in 1706, was appointed one of the commiſſioners to treat of an union with Scotland; and on concluding the treaty of union, was conſtituted lord high treaſurer of Great Britain.

This noble Earl is deſcended from the family of Godolphin, which reſided on the manor of Godolphin in the county of Cornwal, about the time of the Conqueſt, and from whence they took their ſurname.

Arms.] Gules, an eagle, with two heads diſplayed between three fleurs-de-lis, argent.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a dolphin naiant, embowed proper.

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Supporters.] Two eagles reguardant, with their wings diſplayed, argent.

Motto.] *Francha Leale Toge.*

Chief Seats.] At Godolphin in Cornwall, Tilſheade in Wiltſhire, and Hogmagog near New-market, Suffolk; St. James's, Stable yard, London.

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39. CHOLMONDELEY, EARL OF CHOLMONDELEY.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE CHOLMONDELEY, Earl of CHOLMONDELEY, Viſcount Malpas and Kells, and Viſcount Cholmondeley of Nantwitch, Baron of Newburgh, and Baronet, a knight of the Bath, lieutenant-general of his Majeſty's forces, one of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy council; lord lieutenant, cuſtos rotulorum, and vice-admiral of Cheſhire; governor of the caſtle of Cheſter; lord lieutenant of Angleſey, Caernarvon, Flint, Merioneth, and Montgomery; and ſteward of the royal manor of Shene in Surry. On the 14th of Sept. 1723, he married Mary, only daughter of Sir Robert Walpole, late Earl of Orford, by whom he had iſſue three ſons, viz.

1. George, Viſcount Malpas, born October 17, 1724, married, Jan. 19, 1746-7, to Heſter, daughter and heir of Sir Francis Edwards, Bart. by whom he has iſſue.

2. Robert, born Nov. 2, 1727, now in holy orders, and auditor-general of his Majeſty's revenues in America, married to Miſs Mary Woffington, by whom he has iſſue.

3. Frederick, who died an infant.

And his Lady dying in the year 1732, his Lordſhip ſtill remains a widower.

He ſucceeded his father, the late Earl, in his honours and eſtate, May 7, 1733.

George,

George, the father of the preſent Earl, married Elizabeth, daughter of Heer Van Baron Rutenburgh, by whom he had iſſue two ſons and three daughters, viz.

1. George, the preſent Earl.

2. James, lieutenant-general of his Majeſty's forces, who married the Lady Penelope, daughter and heir of James Earl of Barrymore, by whom he has no iſſue.

3. Lady Henrietta, unmarried.

4. Lady Elizabeth, married, Jan. 23, 1730-1, to Edward Warren, of Poyton in Cheſhire, Eſq;

5. Lady Mary, unmarried.

This noble Earl is deſcended from the antient family of Egerton, Barons of Malpas in Cheſhire, in the time of the Conqueſt; from whom alſo the Duke of Bridgewater is deſcended.

Arms.] Gules, two helmets in chief, proper, garniſhed, or; in baſe, a garb of the third.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a demi-gryphon rampant, ſable; beaked, winged, and membered, or, holding a helmet, proper.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a gryphon, ſable; its beak, wings, and fore-legs, or. On the ſiniſter, a wolf of the ſecond, gorged with a collar perflew, vaire.

Motto.] *Caſſis tutiſſima virtus.*

Chief Seats.] At Cholmondeley, in the county of Cheſter; in Mount-ſtreet, London.

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40. HARLEY, EARL OF OXFORD.

THE Right Hon. EDWARD HARLEY, Earl of OXFORD and MORTIMER, and Baron Harley of Wigmore, was born Sept. 2, 1726, ſucceeded his father Edward the 11th of April, 1755; and married, July 11, 1751, Suſannah, daughter of William Archer, of Wexford in Berkſhire, Eſq; but as yet has no iſſue.

Edward,

Edward, the late Earl, married, in March 1725, Martha, eldeſt daughter of John Morgan, of Tredegar in Monmouthſhire, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue,

1. The preſent Earl.
2. Robert, born Sept. 10, 1727, died Jan. 12, 1760.
3. John, born Sept. 29, 1728.
4. Thomas, born Aug. 24, 1730, married, March 15, 1752, to Miſs Bangham, daughter of Edward Bangham, Eſq;
5. William, born May 3, 1733.
6. Martha, born Nov. 23, 1736. And,
7. Sarah, who died in April, 1737.

This noble Earl is ſaid to be deſcended from the Harleys in France. Others are of opinion, that the Harleys of France are deſcended from a family of that name in Shropſhire, which reſided in England long before the Conqueſt, and that the preſent Earl alſo is deſcended from the Shropſhire family.

Arms.] Or, a bend cottiſed, ſable.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a caſtle, argent, tripple towered, with a demi-lion rampant, gules, iſſuing out of the battlements of the middle tower.

Supporters.] Two angels, proper, the habit and wings diſplayed, or.

Motto.] *Virtute & Fide.*

Chief Seats.] At Eyewood and Brampton-brian-caſtle in the county of Hereford; in Henrietta ſtreet, Cavendiſh-ſquare, London.

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41. SHIRLEY, EARL FERRERS.

THE Right Hon. WASHINGTON SHIRLEY, Earl FERRERS, Viſcount Tamworth, and Baronet, a captain in the royal navy, ſucceeded his brother Lawrence May 5, 1760, and is yet unmarried.

Lawrence, the late Earl, was ſon of Lawrence Shirley, brother to the former Earl Henry, and ſuc-

ceeded his ſaid uncle Henry in Aug. 1745; and on Sept. 16, 1752, married Mary, youngeſt daughter of Sir William Meredith, of Henbury in Cheſhire, Bart. from which Lady he was ſeparated by act of parliament: but having committed the horrid crime of murder, by ſhooting Mr. Johnſon, his own ſteward, through the body with a piſtol, in January 1760, the February following he was brought priſoner to London; and in April was tried by his Peers in Weſtminſter-hall, and found guilty of wilful murder; for which crime he had ſentence paſſed upon him by Lord Henley, lord high ſteward on that trial, to be hanged, and his body anatomiſed, as the law directs in caſes of murder: which ſentence, after a fortnight's reſpite, was put in execution, and he was hanged at Tyburn May 5, 1760.

Sir Robert Shirley, Bart. was created Viſcount Tamworth, and Earl Ferrers, in 1711. He married Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Lawrence Waſhington, Eſq; by whom he had ten ſons and ſeven daughters; but three of the ſons only ſurvived him, viz.

1. Waſhington; and,
2. Henry, who were ſucceſſively Earls Ferrers.
3. Lawrence, father of the preſent Earl.

Waſhington, late Earl Ferrers, married Mary, daughter of Sir Richard Levings, Bart. and by her had iſſue three daughters, his coheirs, viz.

1. Lady Elizabeth, married to Joſeph Gaſcoigne Nightingale, of Enfield, Eſq; by whom ſhe had a ſon, Waſhington, who died unmarried Jan. 23, 1754; and a daughter, Elizabeth, ſole heir to her brother, married the ſame year to Wilmot Vaughan, Eſq; by whom ſhe had a ſon, born May 9, 1755; but ſhe died two days after.
2. The Lady Selina, married to Theophilus, Earl of Huntingdon; and,
3. Lady Mary, married to Thomas Needham, Lord Viſcount Kilmurry of Ireland.

This family is maternally deſcended, by the Ferrers's, from a conſiderable Norman Baron, who was poſſeſſed of a great eſtate in Warwickſhire, Lincolnſhire, Northamptonſhire, and Derbyſhire, by the favour of the Norman Conqueror, as appears by Domeſday-book.

Arms.] Paly of ſix, or and azure; a canton, ermine.

Creſt.] On a wreath, the buſt of a Saracen ſide-faced and couped, proper; wreathed about the temples, or and azure.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a talbot, ermine, his ears, or, and his ducal collar, gules; on the ſiniſter, a rein-deer, of the laſt attired, argent, gorged with a ducal coronet of the third billet, or.

Motto.] *Honor virtutis præmium; & malgre l'envie.*

Chief Seats.] At Stanton-Harold, in Leiceſterſhire; Aſtwell, in Northamptonſhire; and Chartley-caſtle in Staffordſhire; Great Marlborough-ſtreet, London.

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42. WENTWORTH, EARL of STRAFFORD.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM WENTWORTH, Earl of STRAFFORD, Viſcount Wentworth, of Wentworth-Woodhouſe, Baron of Stainborough, Roby, Newmarſh, and Overſley, and Baronet, and F. R. S. ſucceeded his father Thomas, the late Earl, in Nov. 1739; and married, April 28, 1741, the Lady Anne Campbell, ſecond daughter to the late Duke of Argyle, by whom he has no iſſue.

Thomas, father of the preſent Earl, was created Earl of Strafford Sept. 4, 1711. He married the ſame year Anne, the ſole daughter and heir of Sir Henry Johnſon, by whom he had iſſue one ſon and three daughters, viz.

1. William, the preſent Earl.

2. Lady Anne, married to William Conolly, of Ireland, Eſq;

3. Lady Lucy, married, in 1747-8, to Col. George Howard.

4. Lady Henrietta, married, in 1744, to Henry Vernon, Eſq; and has iſſue.

The late Earl was bred a ſoldier, and was advanced gradually to the poſt of lieutenant-general. He ſerved in the army with great applauſe, during the war againſt France; and particularly in the battles of Steinkirk and Landen: he ſerved alſo in the army of the allies in the reign of Queen Anne; but was however ſent ambaſſador to the court of Ruſſia, and afterwards to the States-General, and was one of the plenipotentiaries at the treaty of Utrecht, ſigned April 11, 1713. He was alſo conſtituted the firſt lord commiſſioner of the admiralty, and conſequently one of the lords juſtices for the adminiſtration of the government on the death of Queen Anne, until the arrival of his Majeſty King George.

This family took their name from the manor of Wentworth in Yorkſhire, of which they were poſſeſſed in the reign of William the Conqueror.

Arms.] Sable, a chevron between three leopards heads, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath a gryphon paſſant, argent.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a gryphon, argent; on the ſiniſter, a lion, or.

Motto.] *En Dieu eſt tout.*

Chief Seats.] At Wentworth-caſtle in Yorkſhire; at Boughton in the county of Northampton; at Twickenham in Middleſex; and St. James's-ſquare, London.

43. LEGGE, EARL OF DARTMOUTH.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM LEGGE, Earl and Baron of DARTMOUTH, Viſcount Lewiſham, and recorder of Litchfield, ſucceeded William, the late Earl, his grandfather, Dec. 15, 1750, and married, Jan. 11, 1755, Frances-Catharine, ſole daughter and heir of the late Sir Charles Gunter-Nicholl, knight of the Bath, by whom he has iſſue,

George, Lord Viſcount Lewiſham, born Oct. 4, 1755; another ſon born Feb. 4, 1757; and a daughter born May 18, 1759.

George, Lord Viſcount Lewiſham, eldeſt ſon of William the late Earl, and father of the preſent Earl, married Elizabeth, the daughter and heir of Sir Arthur Kaye, Bart. and dying in his father's life time, Aug. 29, 1732, left iſſue,

1. The preſent Earl.
2. Anne. And,
3. Elizabeth.

And his lady ſurviving him, married Francis, Lord North and Guilford.

William Legge, Baron Dartmouth, grandfather of the preſent Earl, was born in 1672, and created Viſcount Lewiſham and Earl of Dartmouth in 1713. He married in 1700, the Lady Anne Finch, daughter of the Right Hon. Heneage Finch, Earl of Aylesford, by whom he had iſſue ſix ſons and two daughters, viz.

1. George, father of the preſent Earl, who died Aug. 29, 1732.
2. Heneage, born in 1703-4, now one of the barons of his Majeſty's Exchequer, married, in 1739, to Miſs Catharine Fogg, niece to Sir John Barnard, by whom he had iſſue, and died Aug. 28, 1759.
3. William, who died in his infancy.

4. Henry, born in March 1708, chancellor and under-treaſurer of the Exchequer, and one of the lords commiſſioners of the Treaſury, who married Mary, ſole daughter and heir of Edward Lord Stawell, now Baroneſs Stawell, and has iſſue a ſon, born Feb. 22, 1757.

5. Edward, who died in 1747.

6. Robert, who died in his minority.

7. Lady Barbara, married to Sir Walter Bagot of Blithfield, in Staffordſhire, Bart. And,

8. Lady Anne, married to Sir Liſter Holt, Bart.

The Right Hon. George Legge, Baron Dartmouth, father of the late Earl William, was admiral of the fleet ſent to demoliſh Tangier, in the reign of King Charles II. in 1683; and, in the reign of King James II. was conſtituted maſter of the horſe, general of the ordnance, and conſtable of the Tower of London; and made admiral of the fleet, deſigned to intercept the Dutch, who were bringing over the Prince of Orange in 1688; but he was not able to perform that ſervice, being detained in the Thames mouth by contrary winds; or, as ſome inſinuate, he did not attempt it, becauſe he knew his officers were not hearty in the ſervice, and the Prince landed at Torbay in Devonſhire, without interruption, on Nov. 5. But however that was, he was deprived of all his employments at the revolution; and being committed to the Tower in the year 1691, died there the 25th of Oct. the ſame year.

This noble Earl is deſcended from Signior de Lega, an Italian nobleman, who flouriſhed in Italy in the year 1297. What time the family came into England is uncertain; but it appears they were ſettled at Legge's-Place, near Tunbridge, in Kent, for many generations; and Thomas, one of their anceſtors, was twice lord-mayor of London, viz. in 1346, and 1353.

Arms.] Azure, a buck's head caboched, argent.

Creſt.]

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, or, a plume of three oſtrich feathers, party-par-pale, argent and gules.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a lion, argent, ſemee of fleurs-de-lis, ſable, and crowned as the creſt. On the ſiniſter a buck, argent, ſemee of mullets, gules.

Motto.] *Gaudet tentamine virtus.*

Chief Seats.] At Sandwell-Hall in Staffordſhire; at Black-Heath in Kent; and Charles-ſtreet, St. James's-ſquare, London.

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44. PAGET, EARL OF UXBRIDGE.

THE Right Hon. HENRY PAGET, Earl of UXBRIDGE, Baron Paget of Beaudefert, and of Burton, only ſon of Thomas Cateſby, Lord Paget, ſucceeded Henry Paget, Earl of Uxbridge, his grandfather, in Aug. 1743.

Thomas-Cateſby, Lord Paget, father of the preſent Earl, married, May 3, 1718, the Lady Elizabeth, ſiſter to the Hon. Scroop Egerton, afterwards created Duke of Bridgwater; and his lordſhip dying in Jan. 1741-2, left iſſue living, Henry, his only ſon, now Earl of Uxbridge.

Henry, grandfather of the preſent Earl, was created a peer of Great Britain, by the title of Lord Burton, Baron of Burton, in the county of Stafford, Dec. 31, 1711, 10 Anne; and Earl of Uxbridge in the county of Middleſex, Oct. 19, 1714, 1 Geo. I. His lordſhip married Mary, daughter and coheir to Thomas Catesby, of Whiſton in the county of Northampton, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue Thomas-Catesby, his only ſon; and his lady dying Nov. 1, 1734, he married, ſecondly, in 1739, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Walter Bagot, of Blithfield, Bart.

This noble Earl is deſcended from Sir William, afterwards Lord Paget, who was ſecretary of ſtate in the reign of King Henry VIII. and ſent ambaſſador both to the Emperor and the French king, and concerned in many important negotiations, being one of the ableſt miniſters of that reign.

That King made him one of his executors, and appointed him to be of the council to his ſon and ſucceſſor King Edward VI. in which reign he was alſo ſecretary of ſtate, and was ſent ambaſſador to the Emperor Charles V. to negotiate an alliance againſt France. In the reign of Queen Mary he was conſtituted lord privy-ſeal.

Henry, Earl of Uxbridge, great-grandfather of the preſent Earl, being ſent ambaſſador to Turkey, had the honour of negotiating and concluding the peace of Carlowitz, between the Emperor of Germany and the Grand Signior, in the year 1698.

Arms.] Sable, on a croſs ingrailed, between four eagles diſplayed, argent; five lions paſſant of the firſt.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a demi-tyger rampant, ſable, gorged with a ducal coronet, and tufted and mained, argent.

Supporters.] Two tygers, as in the creſt.

Motto.] *Per il ſuo contrario.*

Chief Seats.] At Drayton in Middleſex; at Beaudeſert in Staffordſhire; and Conduit-ſtreet, London.

45. BENNET, EARL OF TANKERVILLE.

THE Right Hon. CHARLES BENNET, Earl of TANKERVILLE, Baron Oſſulſton, ſucceeded his father Charles, the late Earl, March 14, 1753.

The late Earl married Camilla, daughter of Edward Colvile of Whitehouſe, in the biſhopric of Durham, Eſq; by whom he has iſſue two ſons and one daughter, viz.

1.

1. Charles, the preſent Earl, who married Alicia, third daughter of Sir John Aſtley, Bart. in 1742, and has iſſue, Charles Bennet, Lord Oſſulſton, born Nov. 15, 1743; John-Grey, who died in the ſecond year of his age; Lady Camilla-Elizabeth; Lady Frances-Alicia, and a ſon, born April 3, 1757.

2. George, born in 1727.

3. Lady Camilla, married, Jan. 14, 1754, to Gilbert-Fane Fleming, Eſq;

Charles, Lord Oſſulſton, grandfather of the preſent Earl, was created Earl of Tankerville, 1 Geo. I. and in July 1695, he married the Lady Mary, only daughter of Ford Lord Grey of Wark; which lady died May 31, 1710, by whom he had iſſue four ſons and three daughters, viz.

1. Charles, the late Earl.

2. John.

3. Henry, who died unmarried.

4. Grey, alſo died unmarried, Nov. 19, 1724.

5. Lady Bridget, eldeſt daughter, married to John Wallop, Lord Vif. Limington, and died Oct. 12, 1738.

6. Lady Annabella, ſecond daughter, married to William Paulet, Eſq; and

7. Lady Mary, married, Aug. 6, 1720, to William Wilmer, of Sywell in Northamptonſhire, Eſq; and died May 24, 1729.

This noble Earl is deſcended from the family of the Bennets in Berkſhire, who flouriſhed in the reign of King Edward III.

Arms.] Gules, a bezant between three demi lions rampant, argent, with a mullet for difference.

Creſt.] On a wreath a demi-lion rampant, argent, holding in his paws a bezant; and ſometimes out of a mural coronet, or, a lion's head, argent, charged with a bezant on his neck.

Supporters.] Two lions, argent, each charged on its ſhoulder with a bezant, and crowned ducally, or.

Motto.] *De bon vouloir ſervir le roy.*

Chief Seats.] At Chillingham-caſtle in Northumberland; and St. James's-ſquare, London.

46. FINCH, EARL OF AILESFORD.

THE Right Hon. HENEAGE FINCH, Earl of AILESFORD, and Baron of Guernſey, ſucceeded his father Heneage, the late Earl, June 26, 1757. He married, Oct. 6, 1750, Lady Charlotte Seymour, youngeſt daughter of Charles, Duke of Somerſet, by whom he has iſſue ſix ſons and one daughter.

1. Heneage, born July 15, 1751.
2. Charles, born June 4, 1752, N. S.
3. William, born May 27, 1753.
4. Charlotte, born May 28, 1754.
5. John, born May 22, 1755.
6. A fifth ſon, born April 26, 1756. And,
7. A ſixth ſon, born March 11, 1760.

Heneage, the late Earl, ſucceeded his father Heneage, Earl of Ailesford, July 22, 1719. He married Mary, daughter and heir of Sir Clement Fiſher of Packington in Warwickſhire, Bart. by whom he had iſſue one ſon and four daughters.

1. Heneage, the preſent Earl.
2. Lady Anne.
3. Lady Mary, married to William late Lord Viſcount Andover.
4. Lady Elizabeth. And,
5. Lady Frances, who married in April 1741, to Sir William Carew, of Powderham-caſtle.

This noble Lord is deſcended from the ſame anceſtors with the Earl of Winchelſea.

Arms.] Argent, a chevron between three gryphons paſſant, ſable; a creſcent for difference.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a gryphon paſſant, ſable.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a gryphon, ſable, gorged with a ducal collar, or. On the ſiniſter, a lion of the ſecond, ducally gorged, azure. *Mot-*

Motto.] *Aperto vivere voto.*

Chief Seats.] At Ailesford in Kent; at Albury in Surry; at Packington in Warwickſhire; and Cavendiſh-ſquare, London.

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47. HERVEY, EARL OF BRISTOL.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE-WILLIAM HERVEY, Earl of BRISTOL, Lord Hervey of Ickworth, his Majeſty's ambaſſador at the court of Madrid, ſucceeded his grandfather John, late Earl of Briſtol, in Jan. 1750-1,

John Lord Hervey, eldeſt ſon of John late Earl of Briſtol, by Elizabeth his wife, daughter of Sir Thomas Felton, Bart. and father of the preſent Earl, born Oct. 15, 1696, was created Lord Hervey of Ickworth, in the county of Suffolk, June 12, 1733, and married, Oct. 24, 1720, Mary, daughter of brigadier-general Nicholas Lee Pell, and had iſſue by her four ſons and four daughters, viz.

1. George-William, the preſent Earl, born Aug. 31, 1721.
2. John-Auguſtus, born May 19, 1724, a captain in the navy, and member of parliament for Bury.
3. Frederick, born in Auguſt 1730.
4. William, born May 13, 1732.
5. Lady Le Pell, married, Feb. 26, 1742-3, to Conſtantine Phipps, Eſq;
6. Lady Mary, married to George Fitzgerald, Eſq;
7. Lady Amelia-Carolina Naſſau; and,
8. Lady Caroline.

His Majeſty was pleaſed to grant, by his warrant dated June 6, 1753, to the daughters of the Lord Hervey, the ſame place and precedency in all aſſemblies, as daughters of Earls of Great Britain.

John late Earl of Briſtol, and grandfather of the preſent Earl, born Aug. 27, 1665, was created Baron

Hervey in the ſecond year of Queen Anne, and Earl of Briſtol, 1 Geo. I. 1714. He married to his firſt wife, Iſabella, daughter and ſole heireſs of Sir Robert Carr, of Sleeford, in Lincolnſhire, Bart. by whom he had iſſue one ſon and two daughters, viz.

1. Carr, born Sept. 17, 1691, who died Nov. 14, 1723.

2. Iſabella, his eldeſt daughter, died in November 1711, unmarried. And,

3. Elizabeth, ſecond daughter (of whom her mother died in child-bed, March 7, 1692-3) died an infant.

In the year 1695, his lordſhip married his ſecond wife, Elizabeth, daughter and ſole heireſs of Sir Thomas Felton, of Playford, in the county of Suffolk, Bart. by whom he had iſſue eleven ſons and five daughters, viz.

1. John, late Lord Hervey, above-mentioned.

2. Thomas, born Jan. 20, 1698; married Miſs Anne Cavaſlin of Ireland.

3. William, born Dec. 25, 1699, and married in 1729, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Ridge, of Portſmouth, Eſq;

4. Henry, born Jan. 5, 1700, married, in 1730, to Catharine, ſiſter to Sir Thomas Aſton, Bart. and died in Nov. 1748.

5. Charles, born April 5, 1703, is prebend of Ely. He married Miſs Martha Howard, daughter of Col. Howard.

6, 7, and 8, died ſoon after they were born.

9. James-Porter, born June 24, 1706, ſince dead.

10. Felton, born Feb. 12, 1711-12, groom of the bedchamber to the Duke, married Dorothy, daughter of Solomon Aſhley, Eſq;

11. James, born March 5, 1712-13, ſince dead.

12. Lady Elizabeth, married to the Right Hon. Buſſy Manſel, late Lord Manſel, and died Dec. 3, 1727.

13. Lady Anne.

14. Lady Barbara, died unmarried, July 24, 1727.

15. Lady Louiſa-Carolina, married Sept. 23, 1731, Sir Robert Smith, of Weſtminſter, Bart.

16. Lady Henrietta, died in Auguſt 1732.

This noble family derive their pedigree from Robert Fitz-Hervey, a younger ſon of Hervey, Duke of Orleans, who came over from France with William the Conqueror.

Arms.] Gules, on a bend, argent, three trefoils ſliped, proper.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a leopard, paſſant, (holding in his dexter paw a trefoil ſliped, proper) bezantee and gorged with a ducal coronet, and chained, or.

Supporters.] Two leopards, proper, bezantee, and with collars and chains, or.

Motto.] *Je noublieray jamais.*

Chief Seats.] At Ickworth in Suffolk; at Aſgarbye in Lincolnſhire; and St. James's-ſquare, London.

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48. CARTERET, EARL GRANVILLE.

THE Right Hon. JOHN CARTERET, Earl GRANVILLE, Viſcount Carteret, Baron Carteret of Hawnes, and Baronet, knight of the moſt noble order of the garter, lord-preſident of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy-council, a governor of the Charter-houſe, one of the ſociety for propagating the goſpel in foreign parts, and hereditary ſheriff of the iſland of Jerſey, born April 22, 1691, ſucceeded his father George Lord Carteret, in the barony of Carteret, in Sept. 1695, and ſucceeded to the earldom of Granville on the death of his mother the Lady Grace, Counteſs of Granville, in Oct. 1744.

He married, Oct. 24, 1710, Frances, only daughter of Sir Robert Worſley, Bart. by whom he had iſſue three ſons and five daughters, viz.

1.

1. Robert, born Sept. 21, 1721.

2. Lady Grace, married to Lionel Talmaſh, Earl of Dyſert in Scotland, in July 1729, and died July 23, 1755.

3. Lady Louiſa, married, in 1733, to Thomas Lord Viſcount Weymouth. [*See* Weymouth *Viſcount.*]

4. Lady Georgina-Carolina, married to the late Hon. John Spencer, brother to the Duke of Marlborough; and ſince, to the Right Hon. William Earl Cowper.

5. Lady Frances, married, in 1743, to John Marquis of Tweeddale. Another daughter and two ſons died in their minority.

His Lordſhip married to his ſecond wife Lady Sophia, eldeſt daughter of Thomas Fermer, Earl of Pomfret, in 1744, and has iſſue a daughter, named Sophia, born in Aug. 1745, of whom her mother died in child-bed.

His Lordſhip was appointed ambaſſador-extraordinary and plenipotentiary to the Queen of Sweden, Jan. 25, 1718-19, and arrived at Stockholm June 30, 1719, where he offered the King of Great Britain's mediation to the Queen, in order to make peace between Sweden and Denmark, and between Sweden and the Czar of Muſcovy, which ſhe accepted; and a treaty between Sweden, Pruſſia, and Hanover, was proclaimed at Stockholm March 9, 1719-20. He had the honour of concluding the peace alſo between Denmark and Sweden, in 1720.

His Lordſhip returning to England, was, on the death of James Craggs, Eſq; ſecretary of ſtate, on the 5th of March, 1720-1, advanced to that poſt.

The Duke of Newcaſtle ſucceeding Lord Carteret in his office of ſecretary of ſtate, April 3, 1724, his Lordſhip was conſtituted lord lieutenant of Ireland.

His Lordſhip continuing lord lieutenant of Ireland until the death of his late Majeſty in 1727, he was continued in that poſt by his preſent Majeſty, and remained

mained lord lieutenant until June 19, 1730, when he was ſucceeded by his Grace the Duke of Dorſet.

Lord Carteret had no public employment from the year 1730 to 1741, when he was again declared principal ſecretary of ſtate.

His Lordſhip being one of the eight noble lords who were proprietors of Carolina, and his Majeſty having purchaſed the ſhares of ſeven of them, Lord Carteret's eighth part was ſet out by commiſſioners, who allotted him that part of North Carolina which lies contiguous to Virginia, which was confirmed to him by his Majeſty.

Lord Carteret reſigning the ſeals on the 24th of Nov. 1744, William Earl of Harrington, was conſtituted principal ſecretary of ſtate in his ſtead.

The family of Carteret is of Norman extraction, and had their ſurname from their ſigniory or lordſhip of Carteret, in Normandy. In the Annals of Normandy, and the Hiſtory of the Holy Wars, there is honourable mention made of the lords of the houſe of Carteret.

George Lord Carteret, father of the preſent Earl, married the Lady Grace Granville, youngeſt daughter of John Earl of Bath, who died in Sept. 1695, leaving one daughter and three ſons, viz.

1. Lady Jemima, who died unmarried in 1733.
2. George, the eldeſt, died an infant.
3. John, now Earl Granville.
4. Philip, died in the 19th year of his age, in 1710.

The Lady Grace, their mother, in conſideration of the great ſervices of her father John Granville, Earl of Bath, who was entruſted by King Charles II. to bring about the reſtoration, was, by the late King George, in the firſt year of his reign, created Viſcounteſs Carteret, and Counteſs Granville, with limitation of thoſe honours to John her ſon, the preſe n Earl, with remainder of the title of Viſcount Carteret,

teret, to Edward Carteret, his uncle, and the heirs of his body.

This family derive their pedigree from the Granvilles of Normandy. Three brothers of this name attended William the Conqueror in his deſcent upon England, and contributed to the victory he obtained over King Harold, at Haſtings in Suſſex, in the year 1066, and had ſeveral manors and lands in England conferred on them by that prince, in conſideration of their eminent ſervices.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, gules, four fuſils in feſs, argent, for Carteret; ſecond and third, gules, three clarions or claricords, or, for Granville.

Creſt.] Above a wreath, upon a mount, a ſquirrel ſejant, all proper.

Supporters.] Two winged deer, gules; attired, or.

Motto.] *Loyall devoir.*

Chief Seats.] At Hawnes, in the county of Bedford; and Arlington-ſtreet, London.

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49. MONTAGU DUNK, EARL OF HALIFAX.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE MONTAGU DUNK, Earl of HALIFAX, Viſcount Sunbury, and Baron Halifax, firſt lord commiſſioner of trade and plantations, lieutenant-general of his Majeſty's forces, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Northampton, and one of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy-council, was born Oct. 5, 1716, ſucceeded George, his father, the late Earl, May 9, 1739; and married, July 2, 1741, Miſs Anne Dunk, daughter of —— Dunk, Eſq; of Hawkhurſt, in the county of Kent, which lady dying in 1753, left three daughters, viz.

1. Lady Anne, born in April 1742.
2. Lady Frances, born in May 1743. And,

3. Lady

3. Lady Elizabeth, born in Nov. 1745.

George, late Earl of Halifax, father of the preſent Earl, married Richarda-Poſthuma, daughter of Richard Saltenſtall of Chippen-warden in the county of Northampton, Eſq; by whom he had a daughter named Lucy, married to Francis Earl of North and Guildford. [*See North and Guildford Earl.*] He married to his ſecond wife the Lady Mary Lumley, eldeſt daughter of Richard Earl of Scarborough, by whom he had iſſue one ſon and ſix daughters, viz.

1. George, the preſent Earl.

2. Lady Frances, married, in Jan. 1738-9, to Sir Roger Burgoyne, Bart. of Sutton, in the county of Bedford, and has iſſue.

3. Lady Anne, married, in Sept. 1740, to Sir Danvers Oſborn, of Chickſands in the county of Bedford, Bart. and dying in July 1743, left iſſue.

4. Lady Mary, married, in Dec. 1743, to Henry Archer, Eſq; brother to the preſent Lord Archer.

5. Lady Barbara;

6. Lady Elizabeth, married, in 1747, to James Johnſton, Eſq; and has iſſue, one ſon, James, and a daughter, Charlotte.

7. Lady Charlotte, married, in 1748-9, to Joſeph Irkyll, of Dallington in the county of Northampton, Eſq; and has iſſue.

The original of this family will be found in that of the Duke of Mancheſter's, of which this of Halifax is a branch.

Charles Montagu, firſt Earl of Halifax, of this family, and grand uncle of the preſent Earl, was conſtituted one of the lords commiſſioners of the treaſury in 1691; and in 1694, was appointed chancellor and under-treaſurer of the Exchequer; and the coin being exceedingly debaſed and diminiſhed, he formed the deſign of calling in the money, and recoining it in the year 1695, and effected it within the ſpace of two years. To facilitate which, and ſupply the

the want of money, when the old money was called in, he projected the iſſuing of exchequer-bills: whereupon the commons came to a reſolution in the year 1697, "That the Hon. Charles Montagu, Eſq; chancellor of the Exchequer, for his good ſervices to "the government, did deſerve his Majeſty's favour." He was conſtituted firſt lord commiſſioner of the Treaſury in the year 1698, and reſigning that poſt in the year 1700, obtained a grant of the office of auditor of the receipt of the Exchequer, and the ſame year was created Baron Halifax, with remainder to George Montagu, Eſq; late Earl of Halifax, eldeſt ſon of Edward Montagu, Eſq; his eldeſt brother, and the heirs of his body; and dying without iſſue by his lady, the daughter of Sir Chriſtopher Yelverton, was ſucceeded in his honour by the ſaid George, late Lord Halifax.

The deſcent of this noble family is from the Earls of Mancheſter, anceſtors to the Duke of that name.

Arms.] Argent, three fuſils conjoined in feſs, gules, a border, ſable.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a gryphon's head couped, or, with a beak and wings, ſable, and a portcullis on its neck of the ſecond.

Supporters.] Two gryphons, argent, gutty de ſang, their wings expanded, gules, and each charged on the neck with a portcullis, ſable.

Motto.] *Otium cum dignitate,*

Chief Seats.] At Horton in Northamptonſhire; at Buſhy-park in Middleſex; and Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

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50. YELVERTON, EARL OF SUSSEX.

THE Right Hon. HENRY YELVERTON, Earl of SUSSEX, Viſcount Longueville, Baron Grey of Ruthyn, and Baronet, ſucceeded his brother George-

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Auguſtus, the late Earl, who died unmarried, Jan. 8, 1758; and Jan. 17, 1757, married Miſs Hall, by whom he has a daughter born June 19, 1759.

Talbot Earl of Suſſex, father of the late and preſent Earls, was created Earl of Suſſex, Aug. 3, 4 Geo. I. He married Lucy, daughter to Henry Pelham, of Lewes in Suſſex, Eſq; and dying in Oct. 1731, left iſſue by her two ſons, George the late Earl, and Henry, the preſent Earl.

This noble Earl is deſcended from the Yelvertons of Norfolk, who flouriſhed in the reign of Edward II. whoſe ſeat was at Rackheath, near Norwich.

Sir Chriſtopher Yelverton, another of the anceſtors of this noble Earl, was choſen ſpeaker of the houſe of commons in the 39th of Queen Elizabeth, and in the 44th year of her reign, was made one of the judges of the King's Bench, as he was alſo in the reign of King James I. and his ſon Sir Henry Yelverton was a judge of the Common-Pleas in the reign of King Charles I. whoſe reports are in great eſteem at this day.

Arms.] Argent, three lions rampant, and a chief, gules.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a lion paſſant reguardant, gules.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a wyverne, or, on the ſiniſter, a lion reguardant, gules.

Motto.] *Foy en tout.*

Chief Seat.] At Eaſton-Manduit in the county of Northampton.

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51. COWPER, EARL COWPER.

THE Right Hon. William Cowper, Earl Cowper, Viſcount Fordwich, Baron Cowper of Wingham, and Baronet, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Hertford, and fellow

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of the Royal Society, born in 1709, ſucceeded William, his father, the late Earl, Oct. 10, 1723; and married, June 27, 1737, Lady Henrietta, youngeſt daughter and coheir of Henry, Earl of Grantham, and had iſſue one ſon, George, Viſcount Fordwich, born in Aug. 1738, and a daughter named Caroline, born June 20, 1733; and married in July, 1753, to Henry Seymour, Eſq; He married to his ſecond wife, Lady Georgina-Caroline, daughter of the Right Hon. John Earl of Granville, and widow of the Hon. John Spencer, brother to the late Duke of Marlborough, and mother to the Hon. John Spencer, Eſq;

William, late Earl Cowper, father of the preſent Earl, was bred to the ſtudy of the law; and ſoon after he was called to the bar, was appointed one of the King's council in the reign of King William, and of Queen Anne's council in the next reign; and that Queen conſtituted him lord keeper of the great ſeal of England in the year 1705; and in 1707, after the treaty of Union, lord chancellor of Great Britain, which poſt he held until the year 1710: and on the acceſſion of the late King George, was conſtituted lord high chancellor again. It is obſerved to his honour, that he refuſed to accept new years gifts from the counſellors at law, which had been long given to his predeceſſors; and what is ſtill more to his honour, he foreſaw and oppoſed the deſtructive meaſures purſued in the year 1720, by the South-ſea directors, and ſome of the miniſtry. He was created a Peer by the ſtile and title of Lord Cowper, Baron Cowper of Wingham in the county of Kent, 5 Anne, 1706, Viſcount Fordwich and Earl Cowper, 4 George I. 1717.

His Lordſhip married Judith, daughter and heireſs of Sir Robert Booth, of London, Knight, by whom he had only one ſon, that died an infant; and after her deceaſe he married the daughter of John Clavering, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue two ſons and two daughters, viz.

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1. William, the preſent Earl.

2. Spencer Cowper, who married Dorothy, daughter of Charles, Viſcount Townſhend, in May 1743.

3. Lady Sarah, who died Dec. 7, 1758.

4. Lady Anne, married, in 1731, to James-Edward Colleton, Eſq;

This noble Earl is deſcended from Simon Cowper, ſheriff of London, in the fourth year of King Edward II. 1310. Sir William Cowper, another of his anceſtors, who reſided at the caſtle of Hertford, was eminent for his hoſpitality and charity, making it his buſineſs, in the decline of life, to viſit and relieve his poor neighbours at their houſes, and died much lamented, Anno 1664, in the 83d year of his age.

Arms.] Argent, three martlets and a chief engrailed, gules; on the latter, as many annulets, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a lion's gamb erected and eraſed, or, holding a branch, vert; fructed, gules.

Supporters.] Two bay horſes, with tails docked, proper.

Motto.] *Tuum eſt.*

Chief Seats.] At Colne-green, in Hertfordſhire; at Ratling-court, in the county of Kent; and Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

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52. STANHOPE, EARL STANHOPE.

THE Right Hon. PHILIP STANHOPE, Earl STANHOPE, Viſcount Stanhope of Mahon, and Baron of Elvaſton, ſucceeded his father James, the late Earl, Feb. 5, 1720-1. He married, in 1745, Lady Grizel, daughter of Thomas, Lord Haddington, by whom he has iſſue, Philip Lord Viſcount Stanhope, and the Hon. Charles Stanhope.

James Stanhope, father of the preſent Earl, was created Viſcount Stanhope of Mahon, and Baron Stanhope

hope of Elvaſton, July 21, 1717; and on April 7, 1718, created Earl Stanhope. He married, Feb. 24, 1712-13, Lucy, daughter of Thomas Pitt, of Stratford, in Wiltſhire, Eſq; and his Lordſhip, dying Feb. 5, 1720, had iſſue by her (who died Feb. 24, 1722-3) three ſons and one daughter:

1. Philip, now Earl Stanhope; and,
2. Lucy, a daughter, twins, born Aug. 15, 1714.
3. George, born Dec. 28, 1717, died unmarried.
4. James, who died in the tenth year of his age, April 21, 1730. And,
5. Lady Jane.

He was appointed commander in chief of the Britiſh forces in Spain in the reign of Queen Anne, in 1708; and the ſame year ſubdued the iſland of Minorca. He commanded the Engliſh forces alſo at the battles of Almanara and Saragoſſa in the year 1710, to which victories he greatly contributed, and facilitated the march of King Charles III. to Madrid, of which he took poſſeſſion ſoon after. He was conſtituted firſt commiſſioner of the treaſury, and chancellor of the Exchequer, in 1717; and in the year 1718, principal ſecretary of ſtate.

Alexander Stanhope, Eſq; the late Earl's father, was the only ſon of Philip the firſt Earl of Cheſterfield, by his ſecond wife, Anne, daughter of Sir John Packington, Bart.

Arms and *Creſt.*] The ſame as the Earl of Cheſterfield; a creſcent for difference.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a talbot, ermine. On the ſiniſter, a wolf, or, ducally crowned, azure; each charged on the ſhoulder with a creſcent, azure.

Motto.] *A Deo & Rege.*

Chief Seats.] At Chevening, in the county of Kent; Hanover-ſquare, London.

53. SHERARD, EARL OF HARBOROUGH.

THE Right Hon. BENNET SHERARD, Earl of HARBOROUGH, Baron Sherard of Harborough in England, and Baron of Leitrim in Ireland, ſucceeded Philip, the late Earl, his father, July 20, 1750. His Lordſhip married, in June, 1738, Lady Elizabeth, daughter of Ralph, Earl of Verney, by whom he has iſſue four ſons, Charles, Harry, James, and William; and three daughters, Elizabeth, Charlotte, and Mary. This Lady dying, his Lordſhip, July 2, 1757, married Miſs Noel, daughter to the Hon. Juſtice Noel, by whom he has a daughter, born March 12, 1759.

Philip, late Earl of Harborough, and father of the preſent Earl, ſucceeded Earl Bennet, his couſin, Oct. 16, 1732. He married Annè, ſole daughter and heir of Nicholas Pedley, Eſq; and by her, who died Feb. 16, 1749-50, had iſſue ſix ſons and eight daughters, of which are living,

1. The preſent Earl.
2. The Hon. Philip Sherard.
3. Lady Dorothy, who married James Torkington, Eſq; and has iſſue ſeveral ſons and daughters.
4. Lady Lucy. And,
5. Lady Suſanna.

This noble Earl is lineally deſcended from Schirard, who was poſſeſſed of manors and lands to a great value in the counties of Cheſhire and Lancaſhire in the reign of William the Conqueror. Geoffrey, another of this Earl's anceſtors, was three times ſheriff of Rutlandſhire, in the reigns of King Edward IV. and King Richard III.

Arms.] Argent, a chevron, gules, between three torteauxes.

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, or, a peacock's tail erect, proper.

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Supporters.] Two rams, argent, armed and unguled, or.

Motto.] *Hoſtis honori invidia.*

Chief Seats.] At Stapleford, in Leiceſterſhire; Whiſſendine, in Rutlandſhire; Chelſea.

54. PARKER, EARL OF MACCLESFIELD.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE PARKER, Earl MACCLESFIELD, Viſcount Parker, and Baron of Macclesfield, one of the tellers of his Majeſty's Exchequer, vice-preſident of the Foundling-hoſpital, high ſteward of Henley upon Thames, and preſident of the Royal Society, ſucceeded Thomas, the late Earl, his father, April 28, 1732; and on the 18th of Sept. 1722, married Mary, eldeſt daughter and coheir of Ralph Lane, Eſq; a Turkey merchant, by which Lady, who died June 4, 1753, he has iſſue two ſons:

1. Thomas, Lord Viſcount Parker, born Oct. 12, 1723, married Dec. 12, 1749, to Miſs Mary Heathcote, eldeſt daughter to Sir William Heathcote, of Hurſley, Bart. by whom he has iſſue.

2. George Lane, born Sept. 6, 1724, who is yet unmarried.

His Lordſhip married, a ſecond time, in Novemb. 1757, Miſs Neſbit.

Thomas Parker, late Earl of Macclesfield, father of the preſent Earl, was, March 19, 1715, created Lord Parker, and Baron of Macclesfield; and Nov. 5, 1721, advanced to the dignities of Viſcount Parker of Ewelme, in Oxfordſhire, and Earl of Macclesfield. His Lordſhip married Janet, daughter and coheir of —— Carrier, of Wickworth, in the county of Derby, Eſq; by whom he left iſſue,

1. The preſent Earl; and,

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2. The Lady Elizabeth, married, April 7, 1720, to William Heathcote, of Hurſley, in the county of Southampton, Eſq; (ſince created Bart.) by whom ſhe had iſſue, Thomas, Samuel, Gilbert, Henry, Mary Viſcounteſs Parker, Elizabeth, and Jennetta.

The late Earl was conſtituted lord chief juſtice of the King's-bench in the year 1710; and in the year 1718, he was conſtituted lord chancellor of England, in which high office he remained ſix years.

This noble Earl is deſcended from Thomas Parker, who flouriſhed in the reign of King Edward III. and then poſſeſſed the manor of Lees, near Norton, in the county of Derby, which ſtill retains the name of Norton-lees.

Arms.] Gules, a chevron between three leopards faces, or.

Creſt.] A leopard's head eraſed and guardant, or; ducally gorged, gules.

Supporters.] Two leopards reguardant, proper, each gorged with a ducal coronet, gules.

Motto.] *Sapere aude.*

Chief Seats.] At Sherburn-caſtle, in Oxfordſhire; St. James's-ſquare, London.

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55. FERMOR, EARL OF POMFRET.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE FERMOR, Earl of POMFRET, and Lord Lempſter, ſucceeded his late father, Thomas, July 8, 1753.

The ſaid late Earl, July 14, 1720, married Henrietta Louiſa, daughter and heireſs of John Lord Jeffreys, Baron of Wem, by the Lady Charlotte Herbert, daughter and heir of Philip, Earl of Pembroke and Montgomery, and by her had iſſue four ſons and ſix daughters.

1. George, the preſent Earl.
2. William, who died in 1744.

3. John; and,

4. Thomas, both dead.

5. Lady Sophia, married, in 1744, to John, Earl Granville; and died in 1745.

6. Lady Charlotte, married to the Right Hon. William Finch, Eſq; brother to the Earl of Winchelſea.

7. Lady Henrietta, married to John Conyers, of Copthall in Eſſex, Eſq;

8. Lady Juliana, married in Aug. 1751, to Thomas Penn, one of the proprietors of Penſilvania.

9. Lady Louiſa.

10. Lady Anne, married July 15, 1754, to Thomas Dawſon, Eſq;

This noble family, who were formerly called Ricards, were antiently ſeated at Somerton, upon the river Cherwell in the county of Oxford, where they had large poſſeſſions, as far back as the time of King Henry VII.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, argent, a feſs, ſable, between three lions heads eraſed, gules. The ſecond and third, azure, a ſaltire, argent, between four eagles diſplayed, or.

Creſt.] Out of a ducal coronet, or, a cock's head iſſuing, gules; creſted and wattled, or.

Supporters.] Two lions, proper.

Motto.] *Hora e ſempre.*

Chief Seats.] At Eaſton-Neſton, in the county of Northampton; Prince's-ſtreet, Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

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56. GRAHAM, EARL GRAHAM.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM GRAHAM, Earl and Baron GRAHAM of Belford in Scotland, and Earl of Belford in the county of Northumberland in England, Duke of Montroſe in Scotland, and chancellor of the college of Glaſgow, ſucceeded his father James

James, late Earl of Belford, &c. in 1741. His Lordſhip married, in Oct. 1742, the Lady Lucy Manners, daughter of John, late Duke of Rutland, by whom he has iſſue.

His Grace William Graham, late Earl of Belford, and Duke of Montroſe, ſecond ſon of James Duke of Montroſe, married the Lady Chriſtian Carnegie, daughter of David Earl of Northeſk, by whom he had iſſue,

1. James, Marquis of Graham, who died in his infancy.

2. David, Marquis of Graham, and firſt Earl of Belford.

3. William, the preſent Earl of Belford.

4. Lord George, who died unmarried.

5. Lady Margaret, who died unmarried.

This noble Earl is deſcended from the valiant Greme, or Graham, who forced his way through that barrier formed by the Britons to defend their country, erected between Dunbritton and Edinburgh friths, and from him called Graham's Dyke.

[*The Reader will meet with a more particular account of this noble family under the title of Duke of* Montroſe, *among the Peers of* Scotland, *in the ſecond Volume of this Work.*

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, or, on a chief, ſable, three eſcallop-ſhells, or. Second and third, argent, three roſes, gules, barbed and ſeeded, proper.

Creſt.] On a wreath, an eagle, wings hovering, or, preying on a ſtork on its back, proper.

Supporters.] Two ſtorks cloſe, argent; beaked and membered, gules.

Motto.] *Ne oublie.*

Chief Seats.] At Glaſgow, in the county of Lanerk; at Kincairn, in the county of Perth; at Myndock-caſtle, in the county of Lennox; and in Upper Groſvenor-ſtreet, London.

57. KER, EARL OF WAKEFIELD.

THE Right Hon. JOHN KER, Duke of Roxburgh in Scotland, and Earl and Baron KER of WAKEFIELD in Yorkſhire, Engliſh honours, ſucceeded his father, Robert, late Duke of Roxburgh, who died Aug. 20, 1755.

His Grace is deſcended from the noble family of Drummond, formerly called Drymen, which flouriſhed in the reign of Alexander II. King of Scotland, and were anceſtors of all the Britiſh Kings of the Stuart race.

[*For an account of this noble family the reader may conſult the ſecond Volume of this Work, under the title of Duke of* Roxburgh, *among the Peers of* Scotland.]

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, vert, on a chevron, between three unicorns heads erazed, argent; as many mullets, ſable. Second and third, gules, three muſcles, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath, an unicorn's head erazed, argent; armed, or.

Supporters.] Two ſavages, each holding a club over his ſhoulder, and wreathed about his temples and loins with ivy, all proper.

Motto.] *Pro Chriſto & Patria dulce Periculum.*

Chief Seats.] At Bray, in the county of Bucks; Hanover-ſquare, London.

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58. WALDEGRAVE, EARL WALDEGRAVE.

THE Right Hon. JAMES WALDEGRAVE, Earl WALDEGRAVE, Viſcount Chewton, Baron Waldegrave of Chewton, and Baronet, a teller of the Exchequer, lord warden and ſteward of the Stanne-

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ries and Dutchy of Cornwall, one of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy council, and knight of the moſt noble order of the garter, ſucceeded James the late Earl, his father, in his honours and eſtate, April 11, 1741; and married, in Dec. 1754, Miſs —— Drax, daughter of Henry Drax, Eſq; member of parliament for Wareham, and ſiſter to the counteſs of Berkeley; which Lady dying, he married, May 15, 1759, Maria, ſecond daughter to Sir Edward Walpole, knight of the Bath, by whom he has a daughter, born March 24, 1760.

James, Earl Waldegrave, father of the preſent Earl, was created Viſcount Chewton, and Earl Waldegrave, Sept. 13, 1729. He married, in the year 1714, Mary, ſecond daughter to Sir John Webb, of Hatherop, in Glouceſterſhire, Bart. by whom he had two ſons and a daughter, viz.

1. James, the preſent Earl, born March 4, 1714-15.

2. Major-general John Waldegrave, a knight of the Bath, and groom of his Majeſty's bedchamber; who, in 1751, married the Lady Elizabeth, daughter of John, Earl Gower, by whom he has iſſue. His Lady was, in May 1758, delivered of two daughters.

3. Lady Henrietta, born Jan. 2, 1716-17, who married, July 7, 1734, to the Hon. Edward Herbert, only brother to the late Marquis of Powis, who died in November following, leaving her with child; and ſhe was delivered in June, 1735, of a daughter, named Barbara.

This Earl was appointed ambaſſador extraordinary and plenipotentiary to the Emperor of Germany in 1727; and ambaſſador and plenipotentiary to the King of France in 1730.

Henry, grandfather of the preſent Earl, was created Lord Waldegrave on the 20th of January, 1685. His Lordſhip married Henrietta, natural daughter of King James II. by Mrs. Arabella Churchill, ſiſter to John, late Duke of Marlborough, and by her had iſſue two ſons and one daughter, viz.

1. James, late Earl Waldegrave.
2. Henry, who died unmarried. And,
3. Arabella, a nun.

This noble Earl is deſcended from John de Waldegrave, who was ſheriff of London in the year 1205, in the ſeventh year of King John.

Arms.] Party per pale, argent and gules.

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, or, a plume of five oſtrich feathers, party per pale, argent and gules.

Supporters.] Two talbots, ſable, eared, or, and each gorged with a mural coronet, argent, maſoned, ſable.

Motto.] *Cælum non animum.*

Chief Seats.] Naveſtoke in Eſſex; Albemarle-ſtreet, London.

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59. ASHBURNHAM, EARL OF ASHBURNHAM.

THE Right Hon. JOHN ASHBURNHAM, Earl of ASHBURNHAM, Viſcount St. Aſaph, and Baron of Aſhburnham, one of the lords of his Majeſty's bedchamber, ranger and keeper of Hyde-park, and St. James's-park, born Oct. 30, 1724, ſucceeded his father John, the late Earl, March 10, 1736-7; and June 28, 1756, was married to Miſs Crawley, daughter to John Crawley, Eſq; late alderman of London, by whom he had a ſon, Viſcount St. Aſaph, born Feb. 2, 1758, who died the 13th of the ſame month; and a daughter, born Nov. 8, 1759.

John, Baron of Aſhburnham, father of the preſent Earl, was created Viſcount St. Aſaph, and Earl of Aſhburnham, May 14, 1730. His Lordſhip married to his firſt wife, Oct. 21, 1710, the Lady Mary Butler, daughter to James, late Duke of Ormond, who dying without iſſue, Jan. 2, 1712, in the 23d year of her age, he married, ſecondly, July 24, 1714, Henrietta, coun-

counteſs of Angleſea, who died June 26, 1718, in the thirty-firſt year of her age, leaving an only daughter, the Lady Anne Aſhburnham, who died unmarried Aug. 8, 1732. He married to his third wife the Lady Jemima Grey, ſecond daughter to Henry, Duke of Kent; which Lady died July 27, 1731, leaving iſſue John, the preſent Earl; and his Lordſhip died in the 49th year of his age.

This noble Earl is deſcended from Piers, Lord Eſhbernham, high ſheriff of the counties of Surry, Suſſex, and Kent, and conſtable of Dover-caſtle, in the reign of King Harold: he defended that caſtle againſt William the Conqueror to the laſt extremity.

Arms.] Gules, a feſs between ſix mullets, argent.

Creſt.] Out of a ducal coronet, or, an aſh-tree, proper.

Supporters.] Two greyhounds, ſable, collared and chained, or.

Motto.] *Le Roy & l'Eſtat.*

Chief Seats.] At Aſhburnham in Suſſex, and Teddington in Middleſex; Whitehall, Weſtminſter.

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60. HOWARD, EARL OF EFFINGHAM.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS HOWARD, Earl of EFFINGHAM, Lord Howard, deputy earl-marſhal of England, colonel of the 34th regiment of foot, major-general, and one of the chief ſearchers of the cuſtoms in the port of London, ſucceeded Francis, the late Earl, his father, in Feb. 1742-3, and married, Feb. 14, 1744-5, Elizabeth, daughter of Peter Beckford, Eſq; grandſon of Sir Thomas Beckford, Knt. by whom he hath iſſue,

1. Thomas Lord Howard, born Jan. 13, 1746-7.
2. Richard, born Feb. 29, 1747-8.
3. Lady Elizabeth.

4. Lady Anne.
5. Lady Maria.

Francis Howard, late Earl of Effingham, father of the preſent Earl, was created Earl of Effingham, Dec. 8, 1731. His Lordſhip married Diana, daughter of major-general O Farrel, by whom he had iſſue Thomas, the preſent Earl. After the death of which Lady he married Anne, ſiſter to Robert Briſtow, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue a ſon, named George, who died in his infancy.

This noble Earl is deſcended from the Lord William Howard, ſon of Thomas, the ſecond Duke of Norfolk, who commanded the royal navy which defeated the Spaniſh Armada in 1588. He alſo commanded the Engliſh fleet in 1596, in that memorable expedition when Cadiz was taken, and all the Spaniſh men of war and galleons in the harbour were deſtroyed.

Arms and *Creſt.*] The ſame as the Duke of Norfolk's, a mullet for difference.

Supporters.] Two lions, argent; on the ſhoulder of each a mullet for difference.

Motto.] *Virtus mille ſcuta.*

Chief Seats.] At Great Bookham, in the county of Surry; and in Upper Groſvenor-ſtreet, London.

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61. WALPOLE, EARL OF ORFORD.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE WALPOLE, Earl of ORFORD, Viſcount Walpole, Baron Walpole, and Baron of Haughton, one of the lords of his Majeſty's bedchamber, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the city and county of Norwich, and ſteward of the corporation of Yarmouth, ſucceeded his father Robert, April 1, 1751.

Robert, the late Earl, married Margaret, ſole daughter and heir of Samuel Rolls, of Haynton in Devonſhire,

Devonſhire, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue George, the preſent Earl, born April 2, 1730.

Sir Robert Walpole, father of the ſaid late Earl of Orford, was born in 1674, and choſen to repreſent the borough of King's-Lynn in parliament, in 1700, and ſerved for that corporation in every parliament almoſt, until he was created an Earl. He was conſtituted firſt lord commiſſioner of the Treaſury, and chancellor of the Exchequer, in Oct. 1715, which poſt he held during all the reign of King George I. and in the reign of King George II. until he was advanced to the peerage (except between the years 1717 and 1721) and he was, while a commiſſioner, elected knight of the garter in 1726, and created Earl of Orford, Feb. 9, 1741-2.

He married to his firſt wife Catharine, daughter of John Shorter, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue three ſons and one daughter.

1. Robert, the late Earl.
2. Sir Edward, clerk of the Pells in the Exchequer.
3. Horatio, uſher of the Exchequer. And,
4. Lady Mary, married, in 1723, to George Earl of Cholmondeley.

Their mother, Sir Robert's firſt wife, dying in 1737, he married, the ſame year, Mary Skerret, daughter and heir of Thomas Skerret, Eſq; who died in June 1738, by whom he had no iſſue after marriage.

This family took their name from Walpole in Norfolk, where they reſided before the conqueſt.

Arms.] Or, on a feſs between two chevrons, ſable, three croſs croſlets of the firſt.

Creſt.] On a wreath, the buſt of a man, ſide-faced, couped, proper, ducally crowned, with a long cap on, gules, thereon a catharine wheel, or; which creſt belonged to the family of Robſart, and was, in memory of the ſervices of Sir John Robſart, knight of the garter, againſt the Saracens.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide an antelope, and on the ſiniſter ſide a buck, both argent, attired, proper, gorged with collars, checky, or, and azure, each having a chain thereto affixed, and their hoofs or.

Motto.] *Fari quæ ſentiat.*

Chief Seats.] At Houghton-Hall in the county of Norfolk; at Piddleton in the county of Dorſet; at Haynton in Devonſhire; and Green-ſtreet, Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

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62. STANHOPE, EARL OF HARRINGTON.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM STANHOPE, Earl of HARRINGTON, Viſcount Peterſham, Baron of Harrington, lieutenant-general, colonel of the 2d troop of horſe-grenadier-guards, and comptroller of the cuſtoms in the port of Dublin, ſucceeded his father William, the late Earl, Dec. 8, 1756.

William, the late Earl, married Anne, daughter and heir of colonel Edward Griffith, by whom he had iſſue two ſons, William and Thomas, twins, born Dec. 18, 1719, of which their mother died in childbed.

William, the preſent Earl, married, in Aug. 1746, to the Lady Caroline Fitz-Roy, eldeſt daughter of his Grace Charles, late Duke of Grafton, by whom he hath iſſue,

1. Lady Carolina, born March 11, 1746-7.
2. Lady Iſabella, born April 4, 1748.
3. Lady Emilia, born May 24, 1749.
4. Lady Henrietta, born Oct. 26, 1750.
5. Charles, Viſcount Peterſham, born March 20, 1753.
6. William-Fitzroy, born June 26, 1754.
7. Henry, born in 1755.
8. Lady ———, born March 31, 1760.

William

William the late Earl, was appointed ambaſſador to Spain in 1729, and concluded the treaty of Seville there, Nov. 9, the ſame year. He was, June 12, 1730, made one of his Majeſty's principal ſecretaries of ſtate, and reſigning the ſeals in 1741, was declared preſident of the council. He was conſtituted ſecretary of ſtate again in 1744, upon the reſignation of Earl Granville; and was, Nov. 4, 1746, conſtituted lord lieutenant of Ireland; in which poſt he was ſucceeded by his Grace the Duke of Dorſet. As to the antiquity of this family, *ſee the Earl of* Cheſterfield.

Arms.] Quarterly, ermine and gules, a creſcent on a creſcent for difference.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a tower, argent, with a demi-lion rampant, iſſuing from the battlements, or, holding between his paws a grenade firing, proper.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a talbot, argent, gutte de poix; on the ſiniſter a wolf, erminois; each ſupporter gorged with a garland or chaplet of oak, vert, fructed, or.

Motto.] *A deo & rege.*

Chief Seats.] At Peterſham in Surry; at Linby in the county of Nottingham; and St. James's, Stable-yard, London.

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63. PULTENEY, EARL OF BATH.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM PULTENEY, Earl of BATH, Viſcount Pulteney, Baron of Heydon, one of the lords of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy council, and F. R. S. was appointed ſecretary of war in Sept. 1714, and in May 1723, conſtituted cofferer of his Majeſty's houſhold, and ſworn of the privy-council in Feb. 1741-2; alſo in July 1742, was created Baron of Heyden, Viſcount Pulteney, and Earl of Bath. His Lordſhip, Dec. 27,

1714, married Anna-Maria, daughter of John Gumeley, of Thiſtleworth, in the county of Middleſex, Eſq; by which Lady, who died Sept. 13, 1758, he has iſſue one only ſon, William Lord Viſcount Pulteney, promoted to the rank of lieutenant-general of his Majeſty's forces, Aug. 25, 1759.

William Pulteney, Eſq; father of the preſent Earl, married Mary, daughter of ——— Floyd, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue four ſons, viz.

1. William, now Earl of Bath.

2. Henry Pulteney, Eſq; lieutenant-general and colonel of the 13th regiment of foot.

3. Corbet, who was killed at the ſiege of Liſle in 1708, unmarried.

4. Thomas, who alſo died unmarried.

Their father, the ſaid William Pulteney, Eſq; married to his ſecond wife Arabella, daughter of George Earl of Berkley, by whom he had three daughters, of which two died in their minority, and Elizabeth, the third daughter, died in France in 1748.

This noble Earl is deſcended from Sir John Pulteney, who was four times lord-mayor of London, in the reign of King Edward III.

Arms.] Argent, a feſs dancettee, gules, in chief three leopards heads, ſable.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a leopard's head eraſed, ſable, gorged with a ducal coronet, or.

Supporters.] On each ſide a leopard, argent, gutte de poix; collared dancette, gules.

Motto.] *Quo virtus.*

Chief Seat.] In Piccadilly, London.

64. WALLOP, EARL OF PORTSMOUTH.

THE Right Hon. JOHN WALLOP, Earl of PORTSMOUTH, Viſcount Lymington, and Baron Wallop of Farley-Wallop, governor of the iſle of

of Wight, conſtable of Cariſbroke-caſtle, ſteward, ſurveyor, receiver, and bailiff of all manors, lands, &c. in the iſland, and vice-admiral of the ſaid iſland, married, in 1716, Lady Bridget, eldeſt daughter of Charles Bennet, Earl of Tankerville, by which lady, who died Oct. 12, 1738, he had iſſue,

1. John Viſcount Lymington, born Aug. 3, 1718, married, July 12, 1740, Catharine, daughter and heir of John Conduit of Cranbery, in Hampſhire, by Catharine his wife, coheir of the celebrated Sir Iſaac Newton, and dying in 1749, left iſſue by his lady, who died April 15, 1750, three ſons, John, now Viſcount Lymington, Henry, Barton, and Bennet, alſo a daughter, Catharine.

2. Bridget, who died in June 1736.

3. Borlace, died in April 1741.

4. Mary, died young.

5. Charles.

6. Anne, who died March 3, 1759.

The four following, Bluet, Elizabeth, Henry, and Bennet, died young.

His Lordſhip married, 2dly, Elizabeth, eldeſt daughter to James Lord Griffin, and relict of Henry Grey of Billingbear, in the county of Berks, Eſq;

This noble Earl is deſcended from the Wallops of Hampſhire, a Saxon family, which were poſſeſſed of lands of a conſiderable value in that county, at the time of the conqueſt.

Arms.] Argent, a bend wavy, ſable.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a mermaid, holding in her dexter hand a mirror, in the other a comb, all proper.

Supporters.] Two chamois, or wild goats, ſable.

Motto.] *En ſuivant la veriete.*

Chief Seats.] At Huſbands, in Hants; and Billingbear in the county of Berks; and New Burlington-ſtreet, London.

65. GREVILE, EARL BROOKE.

THE Right Hon. FRANCIS GREVILE, Earl BROOKE and Warwick, and Lord Brooke, Baron Brooke of Beauchamp-court in Warwickſhire, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Warwick, knight of the moſt antient and noble order of St. Andrew, born in 1719, ſucceeded his father William as Lord Brooke, in July 1727; and July 7, 1746, was created Earl Brooke of Warwick-caſtle in the county of Warwick; and, on the death of the late Earl of Warwick, was created Earl of Warwick, Nov. 27, 1759. His Lordſhip married, May 16, 1742, the Hon. Elizabeth Hamilton, eldeſt daughter to the Lord Archibald Hamilton, by whom he had iſſue,

1. George Lord Grevile, born September 16, 1746.
2. Charles-Francis, born May 12, 1749.
3. Louiſa-Auguſta, born April 14, 1743.
4. Frances-Elizabeth, born May 11, 1744.
5. Charlotte-Mary, born July 6, 1745.
6. Iſabella, born March 1, 1748, who died the ſame day.
7. Charles-Francis, born May 12, 1749. And,
8. Robert Fulke, born Feb. 3, 1750-1.

William Lord Brooke, father of the preſent Earl, married Mary, ſecond daughter and coheir of the Hon. Henry Thynne, Eſq; and by her (who died March 29, 1720) had iſſue three ſons, viz.

1. William, who died in his infancy.
2. Fulke-Grevile, who alſo died young. And,
3. Francis, now Earl Brooke.

The ſaid William Lord Brooke, their father, died July 28, 1727, in the thirty-third year of his age.

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The anceſtors of this noble family are of Norman extraction, and came over to England with William the Conqueror, who conferred manors and lands on them in England, of a conſiderable value; and at length they obtained the government of the caſtle of Warwick, the preſent ſeat of the family.

Arms.] Sable, on a croſs, within a border ingrailed, or, five pellets.

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, or, a ſwan, with wings expanded, argent; beaked, ſable.

Supporters.] Two ſwans, argent; beaked and membered, ſable; and ducally gorged, or.

Motto.] *Vix ea noſtra voco.*

Chief Seats.] At Warwick-caſtle in Warwickſhire; at Richmond in the county of Surry; and Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

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66. GOWER, EARL GOWER.

THE Right Hon. GRANVILLE-LEVESON GOWER, Earl GOWER, Viſcount Trentham, and Lord Gower, Baron of Sittenham, and Baronet, maſter of the horſe, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Stafford, governor of the Charterhouſe, and one his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy-council.

He married, in 1744, Elizabeth, daughter of Nicholas Fazakerley, Eſq; who died of the ſmall-pox, May 19, 1745, by whom he had a ſon named John, who died the ſame day. He married to his ſecond wife, March 31, 1748, the Lady Louiſa Egerton, daughter of George Duke of Bridgwater, by whom he hath iſſue,

1. Lady Louiſa, born Oct. 22, 1749.
2. Lady Carolina, born Nov. 2, 1753.
3. A ſon born dead, Aug. 16, 1755.
4. George Viſcount Trentham, born in Feb. 1758.

Sir John Leveſon Gower, Bart. grandfather of the preſent Earl, was created a peer of Great Britain, by the title of Lord Gower, and Baron of Stittenham, in the county of York, March 16, 1702-3, 2 Ann. He married the Lady Catharine, eldeſt daughter to John Duke of Rutland, and by her had iſſue four ſons and two daughters.

1. Catharine, who died April 20, 1712, in the 17th year of her age.

2. Jane, married to John Proby, of Elton-Hall, Eſq; who died in childbed June 10, 1726.

3. John, the late Earl Gower, who married, in 1712, the Lady Evelyn Pierpoint, youngeſt daughter to —— Evelyn, late Duke of Kingſton; and by her had iſſue four ſons and ſix daughters. This Lady dying in 1727, his Lordſhip, in 1733, married Penelope, daughter of Sir John Stonehouſe, Bart. and relict of Sir Henry Atkins, Bart. by whom he had only one daughter. This Lady dying in 1735, he married the Lady Mary, daughter and coheir of Anthony Earl of Thanet, by whom he had iſſue one daughter and three ſons.

4. William, who, on May 26, 1730, was married to Anne, ſiſter to Sir Richard Groſvenor, of Eaton-Hall, Bart. which Lady died Dec. 13, the year following.

5. Thomas, who died Aug. 12, 1727, in the 29th year of his age. And,

6. Baptiſt.

This ancient family are lineally deſcended from Sir Allan Gower, ſheriff of the county of York, and Lord of Sittenham in that county, at the time of the Norman conqueſt; which eſtate of Sittenham is in poſſeſſion of the preſent Earl.

John Gower, ſon of Sir Thomas Gower, cotemporary with Chaucer, or rather his maſter, one of his lordſhip's anceſtors, is eſteemed one of the beſt poets of that age, and a great improver of the Engliſh language.

language. He died in a very advanced age in the year 1402.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, barry of eight, argent and gules; over all, a croſs-flory, ſable, for Gower. Second and third, azure, three laurel-leaves erect, or, for Leveſon.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a wolf paſſant, argent; collared and chained, or.

Supporters.] Two wolves, argent, each having a collar and main, or.

Motto.] *Frangas, non flectes.*

Chief Seats.] At Trentham in the county of Stafford; at Sittenham in Yorkſhire; at Bill-Hill, near Ockingham in Berkſhire; and Upper Brook-ſtreet, London.

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67. HOBART, EARL of BUCKINGHAMSHIRE.

THE Right Hon. JOHN HOBART, Earl of BUCKINGHAMSHIRE, Lord Hobart, Baron Hobart of Blickling, and Baronet, comptroller of his Majeſty's houſhold, one of the lords of his Majeſty's bedchamber and privy-council, ſucceeded the late Earl John, his father, Sept. 22, 1756.

John, the late Earl, born in 1692, was created Lord Hobart, and Baron Hobart of Blickling in the county of Norfolk, May 28, 1728; alſo on Aug. 20, 1746, was created Earl of Buckinghamſhire. His Lordſhip married, to his firſt wife, Judith, daughter to Robert Brittiffe, of Baconſthorp, in Norfolk, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue three ſons, viz.

1. Henry, who died an infant.
2. John, the preſent Earl.
3. Robert, who died young in 1733.

Alſo five daughters, of whom Dorothy only is living, married to Capt. Hotham, of the foot-guards,

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aid-de-camp to Lord Ligonier, and eldeſt ſon of Beaumont Hotham, Eſq; one of the commiſſioners of the cuſtoms.

His Lady dying in 1726, he married in 1728, Elizabeth, ſiſter to Robert Briſtow, Eſq; by whom he had two ſons, viz.

1. George, member of parliament for St. Ives, and married, in May 1757, to Albina, daughter of Lord Vere Bertie, by whom he has a ſon born March 3, 1758, and another born May 5, 1760.

2. Henry.

Sir Henry Hobart, Bart. lord chief juſtice of the common-pleas, was one of the anceſtors of this noble Earl, whoſe reports are ſtill in much eſteem among the learned of the law.

Arms.] Sable, a ſtar of eight rays, or, between two flanches, ermine.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a bull paſſant, party per-pale, ſable and gules, all bezanty, and a ring in his noſe, or.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a ſtag; on the ſiniſter, a talbot; both proper, reguardant, each having a radiant collar and line, or.

Motto.] *Auctor pretioſa facit.*

Chief Seats.] At Blickling in the county of Norfolk; and at Hill ſtreet, London.

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68. FITZ-WILLIAM, EARL FITZ-WILLIAM.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM FITZ-WILLIAM, Earl FITZ-WILLIAM, Viſcount Milton, Lord Fitz-William, and Baron of Milton in England; alſo Earl Fitz-William, Viſcount Milton, and Baron Fitz-William of Liffer, or Lifford in Ireland, was born May 30, 1748, and ſucceeded his father William, the late Earl, who died Aug. 10, 1756.

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The late Earl, on June 22, 1744, married the Lady Anne Wentworth, eldeſt daughter of Thomas Marquis of Rockingham, by which Lady, who died May 4, 1759, beſides the preſent Earl, he has left iſſue ſix daughters, viz.

1. Lady Anne, born March 25, 1744.
2. Lady Charlotte, born July 14, 1746.
3. Lady Frances, born Oct. 22, 1750.
4. Lady Amelia-Maria, born Dec. 12, 1751.
5. Lady Henrietta, born March 20, 1753. And,
6. Lady Dorothy, born May 22, 1754.

This noble Earl is deſcended from Sir William Fitz-William, marſhal of the army of William the Conqueror, at the battle of Haſtings in Suſſex, by which victory that prince made his way to the throne of England.

Sir William Fitz-William, another of the anceſtors of this noble Earl, was three times conſtituted lord lieutenant of Ireland, in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, and was five times one of the lords juſtices of that kingdom, and general and commander in chief of the army there; and having ſerved her Majeſty in that kingdom near thirty years, ſhe permitted him to return to England, where he died in a very advanced age, in the year 1599.

Arms.] Lozenges, argent, and gules.

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, or, a triple plume of feathers, argent.

Supporters.] Two ſavage men, proper; wreathed about their heads and waiſts, vert; and in their exterior hands a tree eradicated, the top broken off, alſo proper.

Motto.] *Appetitus, rationi, pareat.*

Chief Seats.] At Milton in the county of Northampton; and St. James's-ſquare, London.

69. HERBERT, EARL OF POWIS.

THE Right Hon. HENRY-ARTHUR HERBERT, Earl of POWIS, Viſcount Ludlow, Lord Herbert of Cherbury, Baron Powis of Powis-caſtle, and Baron Herbert of Cherbury and of Ludlow, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Salop, and lieutenant-general of his Majeſty's forces, was created Lord Herbert of Cherbury, Dec. 21, 1743; and, on the death of William Herbert, Marquis of Powis, who died March 8, 1747-8, and left his Lordſhip his whole eſtate, he was farther advanced to the dignity of Baron Powis, of Powis-caſtle, Viſcount Ludlow, and Earl of Powis, May 27, 21 Geo. II. and was alſo created Lord Herbert, Baron Herbert of Cherbury, and of Ludlow, Oct. 7, 1749; and in default of iſſue male, to deſcend to Richard Herbert, Eſq; his brother, and his heirs male; and in default of ſuch iſſue, to Francis Herbert, of Ludlow in the county of Salop, Eſq; and the heirs male of his body.

His Lordſhip married, March 30, 1751, Barbara, only daughter and heir of the Hon. Edward Herbert, Eſq; only brother of William Marquis of Powis; and of his wife the Lady Henrietta, only daughter of James Earl of Waldegrave, by whom he hath iſſue two daughters and a ſon, viz.

1. Lady Georgina, born Jan. 10, 1752.
2. Lady Auguſta, born Sept. 18, 1753.
3. George Edward Arthur Henry, Lord Viſcount Ludlow, born July 7, 1755.
4. Lady ——, born Oct. 9, 1757.

Sir Francis Herbert, Bart. father of the preſent Earl, married Dorothy, daughter of John Oldbury, of London, Merchant, and dying Feb. 27, 1718-19, left iſſue five ſons and three daughters, viz.

1. Henry

1. Henry Arthur, the preſent Earl.
2. Richard, who died May 16, 1754.
3. Francis, who died unmarried in 1730.
4. Herbert; and,
5. John, who both died in the year 1719.
6. Urania, married to Coulſton Fellows, of Eggeſford in Devonſhire, Eſq; then knight of the ſhire for the county of Huntington.
7. Dorothy, married to John Harris, of Pickwell in Devonſhire, Eſq;
8. Florentia, who died in the year 1720.

This noble Earl is deſcended from —— Herbert, a natural ſon of King Henry I. of which family there have been as many brave and worthy men as any family in the Britiſh peerage has produced.

Arms.] Party-per-pale, azure and gules, three lions rampant, argent; armed and langued, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a wyvern, with wings expanded, vert, holding in his mouth a ſiniſter hand, couped at the wriſt, gules.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a lion, argent, ſemee of roſes, armed and langued, gules. And on the ſiniſter ſide, a lion, azure; ſemee of flower-de-lis, or.

Motto.] *Fortitudine & Prudentia.*

Chief Seats.] At Powis-caſtle, in Montgomeryſhire; at Oakley-park, in Shropſhire; in Berkeley-ſquare, London.

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70. PERCY-SMITHSON, EARL OF NORTHUMBERLAND.

THE Right Hon. HUGH PERCY-SMITHSON, Earl of NORTHUMBERLAND, Lord and Baron of Warkworth, and Baronet, knight of the moſt noble order of the garter, one of the lords of his Majeſty's bedchamber, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum

tulorum of the county of Northumberland, and F. R. S. grandſon and heir of Sir Hugh Smithſon, of Stonwick in Yorkſhire, Bart. on the death of Algernon Seymour, late Duke of Somerſet, was created Earl of Northumberland, and Baron of Warkworth in the ſame county, on the 7th of February, 1749-50. His Lordſhip married, July 18, 1740, the Lady Elizabeth Seymour, only daughter of Algernon Seymour, late Duke of Somerſet, and Earl of Northumberland and Egremont, by whom he hath iſſue two ſons and one daughter. *See Baroneſs* PERCY.

1. Hugh, Lord Warkworth, born Aug. 14, 1742.
2. Algernon, born Jan. 21, 1749-50. And,
3. The Lady Elizabeth Anne Frances, born April 6, 1744.

This noble Earl is deſcended from the family of the Smithſons, of Newſham in Yorkſhire, which appears to have been poſſeſſed of lands in that county in the reign of King Richard II.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, azure, five fuſils in feſs, or; the arms of Percy, ſecond and third, or, a lion rampant, azure; the arms of the Dukes of Brabant.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules; a lion paſſant, azure.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a lion, azure; on the ſiniſter an unicorn, argent, collared gabonè, or, and azure.

Motto.] *Eſperance en Dieu.*

Chief Seats.] At Sion-houſe, near Brentford; and Tottenham, both in the county of Middleſex; Warkworth, Alnwick, and Prudhoe caſtles, in the county of Northumberland; Stanwick and Ayrmin in Yorkſhire; and at Northumberland-houſe, London.

71. WYNDHAM, EARL OF EGREMONT.

THE Right Hon. CHARLES WYNDHAM, Earl of EGREMONT, Lord and Baron of Cockermouth, and Baronet, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Cumberland, ſucceeded his father Sir William Wyndham, Baronet, in 1740; and on the death of Algernon, Duke of Somerſet, his uncle, without iſſue male, was created Earl of Egremont, and Baron of Cockermouth, in the county of Cumberland, to him and his heirs male; and in default of ſuch iſſue, to deſcend to his brother Percy Wyndham-Obrien, now Earl of Thomond in Ireland. His Lordſhip, March 12, 1750-1, married Alicia Maria, daughter of George, Lord Carpenter, by whom he has,

1. George, Lord Cockermouth, born Dec. 7, 1751.
2. Lady Elizabeth Alicia Maria, born Nov. 30, 1752.
3. Lady Frances, born July 10, 1755.
4. Lady ———, born Sept. 5, 1756.
5. A ſon, born Oct. 8, 1759.

Sir William Wyndham, Baronet, father of the preſent Earl, only ſon of Sir Edward Wyndham, Bart. was maſter of the buck-hounds, ſecretary at war, chancellor of the Exchequer, and alſo of the privy-council to her late Majeſty Queen Anne. He married to his firſt wife, July 21, 1708, the Lady Catherine Seymour, ſecond daughter of his Grace Charles, Duke of Somerſet, by whom he had two ſons and two daughters, viz.

1. Charles, now Earl of Egremont.
2. Percy Obrien, now Earl of Thomond in Ireland. *See Earl of* Thomond *in the* Iriſh *Peerage.*
3. Catherine, who died unmarried in April, 1734. And,
4. Elizabeth, married, in 1749, to the Honourable George

George Grenville, Eſq; one of the lords of the treaſury.

His firſt Lady dying, he married the Lady Maria-Catherine, widow of the Marquis of Blandford, and daughter of M. Peter d'Jong, of Utrecht in the Netherlands, by whom he had no iſſue.

This noble Earl is deſcended from Ailwardus, a Saxon of diſtinction, who reſiding at Wymondham, now Wyndham, in the county of Norfolk, took the ſurname of Wyndham from thence.

Arms.] Azure, a chevron between three lions heads, eraſed, or.

Creſt.] A lion's head, eraſed, within a fetter-lock, or.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a lion rampant, azure, winged invertedly, or; on the ſiniſter ſide, a gryphon, argent, guttè de ſang.

Motto.] *Au bon Droit.*

Chief Seats.] At Orchard-Wyndham, and Witham, in Somerſetſhire; Petworth, in the county of Suſſex; and Wreſil-caſtle in Yorkſhire; Privy-garden, London.

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72. GRENVILLE-TEMPLE, EARL TEMPLE.

THE Right Hon. RICHARD GRENVILLE-TEMPLE, Earl TEMPLE, Viſcount and Baron Cobham, lord privy-ſeal, and lord lieutenant of the county of Buckingham, a knight of the garter, was born Sept. 26, 1711. He married, May 9, 1737, Anna, one of the daughters and coheirs of Thomas Chambers, in the county of Middleſex, Eſq; and had one only daughter by her, who died July 14, 1742.

The title of Viſcounteſs Cobham being limited to Mrs. Grenville, and her heirs male, after the death of her brother the late Lord Viſcount Cobham without iſſue, ſhe became Viſcounteſs Cobham on her brother

brother Lord Cobham's death, which happened Sept. 13, 1749, and in October following ſhe was created Counteſs Temple; and dying Oct. 7, 1752, the Earldom deſcended on the Hon. Richard Grenville Temple, the preſent Earl, commonly called Lord Viſcount Cobham, at that time member of parliament for Buckingham. In Dec. 1756, his Lordſhip was appointed firſt commiſſioner of the admiralty, which office he reſigned in April 1757, when he was appointed lord privy ſeal.

Beſides this noble Lord, Mrs. Grenville had iſſue,

2. The Hon. George Grenville, treaſurer of the navy, and one of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy council. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Wyndham, Bart. by whom he has ſeveral children.

3. Henry, who died in May, 1716.

4. James, one of the lords commiſſioners of the treaſury, who married the daughter of James Smyth, of Harding in Hertfordſhire, Eſq; who died Dec. 14, 1757.

5. Henry, late governor of Barbadoes. He married, Oct. 11, 1757, Margaret, daughter of —— Banks, Eſq; and has one daughter, born Auguſt 2, 1758.

6. Thomas, who was killed on board his Majeſty's ſhip the Defiance, which he commanded, in an engagement with a French ſquadron, which was taken and deſtroyed May 3, 1747.

7. Lady Heſter, married to the Right Hon. William Pitt, Eſq; one of his Majeſty's principal ſecretaries of ſtate, and has iſſue a ſon, born Oct. 10, 1756; another ſon, born May 28, 1759; and a daughter, born April 22, 1758.

Heſter, the late Counteſs Temple, mother of the preſent Earl, was daughter of Sir Richard Temple, a knight of the Bath, who married Mary, daughter of —— Knap, of Weſton in the county of Oxford, Eſq;

and had four ſons and ſix daughters, of which two died young.

Chriſtian, the third daughter, was married to Sir Thomas Lyttleton, of Frankley in the county of Worceſter, Bart. Maria, firſt to Dr. Weſt, prebendary of Wincheſter; and, 2dly, to Sir John Langham, of Cotteſbroke in the county of Northampton, Bart. Heſter, the ſecond daughter, late Counteſs Temple, married to Richard Grenville, of Wotton in Bucks, Eſq; and Penelope to Moſes Berenger, of the city of London, Eſq;

Of the ſons, which were Richard, Purbeck, Henry, and Arthur, the three laſt died unmarried; and Richard was created Viſcount Cobham on the 19th of October, 1714. He married Anne, daughter to Edmund Halſey, Eſq; member of parliament for Southwark; by which Lady, who died March 29, 1760, he had no iſſue; and his Lordſhip dying, was ſucceeded, purſuant to the limitation, by his eldeſt ſurviving ſiſter Heſter, the late Counteſs Temple.

This branch of the family of Grenville, or Granville, has been ſeated at Wotton under Barnwood in Buckinghamſhire, ever ſince the reign of King Henry I. being more than 600 years.

Arms.] Quarterly, in the firſt and fourth, vert, on a croſs, argent, five torteaux, gules, for Grenville. In the ſecond and third, for Temple, quarterly, or, an eagle diſplayed, ſable and argent; two bars, ſable, each charged with three martlets, or.

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, a martlet cloſe, or.

Supporters.] On the dexter, a lion party-per-feſs embattled, or, and gules; on the ſiniſter, a horſe, argent, powdered, with eaglets, ſable.

Motto.] *Templa quam dilecta.*

Chief Seats.] At Stow and Wotton, both in Bucks; Pall-Mall, London.

73. HARCOURT, EARL OF HARCOURT.

THE Right Honourable SIMON HARCOURT Earl of HARCOURT, Lord Viſcount Newnham, and Baron Harcourt, one of the Lords of his Majeſty's privy council, Lieutenant General, and F. R. S. ſucceeded Simon, late Lord Viſcount Harcourt, his grand-father, July 29, 1727, as Lord Viſcount Harcourt; was created Earl Harcourt, of Stanton Harcourt, and Viſcount Newnham, in Oct. 1749. His Lordſhip married Rebecca, daughter and heir of Charles Le Baſs, Eſq; by whom he has iſſue, two ſons and two daughters, viz.

1. George-Simon Viſcount Newnham, born Aug. 1, 1736.
2. William, born March 20, 1742-3.
3. Lady Elizabeth, born Jan. 18, 1738-9. And,
4. Lady Anne, born in June, 1741, who is ſince dead.

Simon Harcourt, the father of the preſent Earl, married Miſs Elizabeth Evelyn, daughter of John Evelyn, Eſq; and dying in 1721, he left iſſue, two daughters and one ſon, viz.

1. Elizabeth.
2. Martha, who married George Venables Vernon, of Sudbury, in Derbyſhire, Eſq;
3. Simon, the preſent Earl.

Simon, Lord Viſcount Harcourt, Grandfather of the preſent earl, was Attorney-General, in 1707, in the reign of Queen Anne, and 1710 was conſtituted Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of England, and was advanced to the poſt of Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, April 17, 1712. In the reign of King George I. he was one of the Lords of his Majeſty's privy-council, and in the years 1723, 1725, and 1727, was one of the Lords Juſtices, during his Majeſty's abſence in his German dominions.

This noble Earl is deſcended from the Harcourts of Normandy, who took their name from a place called Harcourt, in that province, where the family uſually reſided. Gervaiſe, Count de Harcourt, with his two ſons, Jeffery and Arnold, came over with the conqueror, when he invaded England, in 1066.

Arms.] Gules, two bars, or.

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, or, a peacock cloſe, proper.

Supporters.] Two lions, or, each gorged with two bars gemels, gules.

Motto.] *Le bon temps viendra.*

Chief Seats.] At Stanton-Harcourt, Cokethrop, and Newnham, all in the county of Oxford; Cavendiſh-ſquare, London.

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74. SEYMOUR-CONWAY, EARL OF HERTFORD.

THE Right Honourable FRANCIS SEYMOUR-CONWAY, Earl of HERTFORD, Viſcount Beauchamp, Lord Conway, Baron of Ragley, and Baron of Killultagh in Ireland, knight of the moſt noble order of the garter, one of his Majeſty's privy council, a lord of his Majeſty's bedchamber, and lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Warwick, ſucceeded his father Francis as Lord Conway, Feb. 4, 1731-2, and was created Viſcount Beauchamp, and Earl of Hertford, Aug. 3, 1750. His lordſhip married in May 1741, Lady Iſabella Fitz-Roy, ſecond daughter of his Grace, Charles, late Duke of Grafton, by whom he has iſſue,

1. Francis, Lord Viſcount Beauchamp, born Feb. 12, 1742-3.
2. Lady Anne, born Aug. 1, 1744.
3. Henry, born Dec. 15, 1746.
4. Lady-Sarah-Frances, born Sept. 27, 1747.
5. Robert,

5. Robert, born Dec. 20, 1748.

And the ladies, 6. Gertrude, 7. Frances, 8. Elizabeth, and 9. another daughter born Jan. 4, 1756.

Francis, late Lord Conway, father of the preſent earl, was created Baron Conway of Ragley, in the county of Warwick, and Baron Conway of Killultagh, in the county of Antrim in Ireland, March 17, 1702-3. His Lordſhip married the Lady Mary Hyde, third daughter of Lawrence, Earl of Rocheſter, and by her, who died on the 23d of January, 1708-9, had iſſue, four daughters, viz. Letitia, Mary, Henrietta, and Catherine, of which the eldeſt only is living. He married, 2dly, Jane, daughter of——Bowden, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue, a daughter, named Jane, of whom ſhe died in child-bed, Feb. 13, 1715-16. He married, 3dly, Charlotte, daughter of Sir John Shorter, by whom he left iſſue, two ſons and one daughter, viz.

1. Francis, now Earl of Hertford.

2. Henry, Lieut. General of his majeſty's forces, married the Counteſs Dowager of Ailesbury, and daughter of General Campbell, by whom he has a daughter, Anne.

3. Anne, married, in 1755, to John Harris, Eſq; of Hayne, in Devonſhire.

This noble lord is a branch of the family of the ancient dukes of Somerſet, nearly related to the crown.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, Sable, on a bend, cottized, argent; a roſe between two annulets, gules, for Conway, 2 and 3 quarters are quarterly, viz. 1 and 4, or; on a pile, gules between ſix fleurs-de-lis, azure; three lions paſſant, guardant, or, being a coat of augmentation, 2d and 3d, gules; two wings conjoined in lure, or, for Seymour.

Creſt.] On a wreath, the buſt of a Moor, ſide-faced, couped, proper; and wreathed about the temples, argent and azure.

Supporters.] Two Moors, each wreathed as the creſt, holding in their exterior hands a ſhield, azure, garniſhed, or; the dexter charged with the ſun in its glory, the other with a creſcent, argent.

Motto.] *Fide & amore.*

Chief Seats.] At Sandywell in the county of Glouceſter; Taplow in Bucks; Ragley in Warwickſhire; Liſburne in Ireland; Groſvenor-ſtreet, London.

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75. NORTH, EARL OF GUILFORD.

THE Right Honourable FRANCIS NORTH, Earl of GUILFORD, Lord North and Guilford, one of the lords of his Majeſty's bed-chamber, was born April 13, 1704, and ſucceeded his father in 1729, as Lord Guilford. Oct. 31, 1734, he ſucceeded to the title of Lord North, by the death of William Lord North and Grey; and on the 8th of March 1752, was created Earl of Guilford.

His lordſhip married the 16th June, 1728, the Lady Lucy, daughter of George, late Earl of Halifax, by whom he has iſſue, 1. one ſon, named Frederick, Lord North, born the 13th of April, 1732; who on the 20th of May, 1756, was married to Miſs Speke, of Dillington in Somerſet, a great heireſs, by whom he had a ſon, George Auguſtus, born in 1757, and a daughter born Feb. 16, 1760; and 2. a daughter named Lucy, who died an infant; and his lady dying May 7, 1734, he married again in Jan. 1735-6, Elizabeth, relict of George, Lord Viſcount Lewiſham, eldeſt ſon of William, Earl of Dartmouth, by whom he had iſſue,

3. Lady Louiſa.
4. Francis, deceaſed.
5. Brownlow. And,
6. Charlotte, who died in 1748.

And

And his ſecond lady dying, his lordſhip married Mary, relict of Lewis Watſon, Earl of Rockingham, in June, 1751.

Francis, the late Lord Guilford, father of the preſent lord, married firſt, Elizabeth, third daughter to Fulk Greville Lord Brooke, but by her had no iſſue. 2dly, Alice, daughter and one of the coheirs of Sir John Brownlow of Belton, by whom he had iſſue three ſons. 1. Francis, now Earl of Guilford, 2. Brownlow, 3. Peregrine, who both died infants; and a daughter Alice, who died unmarried.

This noble lord is lineally deſcended from Sir Edward North, who was advanced to the dignity of a baron under the title of Lord North, in the firſt year of the reign of Queen Mary.

Creations.] Baron North of Kirtling in the county of Cambridgeſhire, by writ of ſummons to parliament, the 17th of Feb. 1553, 1 Mary; and Baron Guilford, by letters patent, the 27th of September, 1683, 35 Car. II. and Earl of Guilford, 1752.

Arms.] A lion paſſant, or, between three fleurs-de-lis, argent.

Creſt.] On a wreath a dragon's head eraſed, ſable, ducally gorged and chained, or.

Supporters.] Two dragons ducally gorged and chained, or, winged, ſable.

Motto.] *Animo & fide.*

Chief Seats.] At Kirtlage in Cambridgeſhire; at Durdans in Surry; at Wroxton-abbey in Oxfordſhire; and Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

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76. CORNWALLIS, EARL CORNWALLIS.

THE Right Honourable CHARLES CORNWALLIS, Earl CORNWALLIS, Viſcount Brome, Lord Cornwallis of Eye, conſtable of the tower of

London, Lord Lieutenant of the Tower hamlets, and one of the Lords of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy council, was born the 29th of March, 1700, and ſucceeded his father Charles as Lord Cornwallis, the 19th of January, 1721-2.

He married in 1722, Elizabeth, daughter of Charles, the late Lord Viſcount Townſhend, by whom he has iſſue, four ſons: Charles, born Dec. 31, 1738; Harry, born Sept. 10, 1740; James, born Feb. 25, 1742; and William, born Feb, 20, 1743; and three daughters, the Lady Elizabeth, who married in 1753, to Bowen Southwell, Eſq; Charlotte, who married in 1756, to the Rev. Dr. Madan of Chiſwick, and Mary.

Charles, the late and third Lord Cornwallis, married in June, 1699, Charlotte, daughter and ſole heir to Richard Butler, Earl of Arran, by whom he had nine ſons and three daughters. 1. Charles, Earl Cornwallis. 2. James, born Sept. 16, 1701, died May 28, 1727. 3. Stephen, born Dec. 23, 1703 died in May 1743. 4. John, born Dec. 23, 1706. 5. Richard, born Sept. 17, 1708, died in Feb. 1740-1. 6. Edward, born Feb. 22, 1712-13, a major-general in the army, and member of parliament for the city of Weſtminſter, married March 17, 1753, to Miſs Maria Townſhend, daughter to the late Lord Townſhend. 7. Frederick, a twin with Edward, Lord Biſhop of Litchfield and Coventry. 8. William, born March 12, 1713-14, deceaſed. 9. Henry, born May 22, 1715, deceaſed. 10. Charlotte. 11. Elizabeth, both died infants. 12. Mary, died unmarried.

Of this noble family which has been long of great repute in Norfolk and Suffolk, was John Cornwallis, Eſq; who in 1377, the 1ſt of Richard II. was ſheriff of London.

Creations.] Baron Cornwallis of Eye in Suffolk, by Letters patent, the 20th of April, 1661, 13 Car. II. Viſcount Broome in the county of Suffolk, and Earl Cornwallis, the 30th of June, 1753, 27 Geo. II.

Arms.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, ſable, gutty, d'eau, on the feſs, argent, three Corniſh choughs, proper.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a mount, vert, and thereon a ſtag lodged, argent, attired, or, having about his neck a garland of laurel, proper.

Supporters.] Two ſtags attired and gorged, argent.

Motto.] *Virtus, vincit invidiam.*

Chief Seats.] At Broome in Suffolk; at Culford-hall in the ſame county; Hill-ſtreet, London.

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77. YORKE, EARL OF HARDWICKE.

THE Right Hon. PHILIP YORKE, Earl of HARDWICKE, Viſcount Royſton, Lord Hardwicke, Baron Hardwicke, lord high ſteward of the univerſity of Cambridge, and one of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy council.

He was, on the 23d of March, 1720, appointed ſolicitor-general to the late King George; and on the 31ſt of January, 1723, attorney-general.

In Oct. 1733, he was conſtituted lord chief juſtice of the King's Bench; and on the 21ſt of Feb. 1736-7, lord-high-chancellor, which office he reſigned in 1756.

In July 1749, he was choſen high ſteward of the univerſity of Cambridge.

His Lordſhip married Margaret, one of the daughters of Charles Cocks, of the city of Worceſter, Eſq; by whom he hath five ſons and two daughters now living.

1. Philip, Lord Viſcount Royſton.

2. Charles, of Lincoln's-Inn; who, with his brother John, had the office of clerk of the crown in the court of Chancery conferred on them, June 27, 20 Geo. II. He was choſen in the laſt parliament, member for Rygate, as alſo in the preſent parliament; and in

May, 1755, married Miſs Catherine Freeman, daughter of William Freeman, of Hertfordſhire, Eſq; by which lady, who died July 10, 1759, he has a daughter, born the fifteenth of February 1756.

3. Joſeph was captain of a company in the firſt regiment of foot guards, with the rank of lieutenant-coloñel, and aid-de-camp to his Royal Highneſs the Duke, at the battle of Fontenoy, in 1745. In 1749, when the Earl of Albemarle went ambaſſador extraordinary to the French court, he went over ſecretary to the embaſſy: and being aid-de-camp to his majeſty, he was, in Sept. 1751, appointed miniſter plenipotentiary to the ſtates-general, He was choſen a member in the laſt parliament for Eaſt-Grinſtead in Suſſex, as alſo in the preſent parliament, which met May 31, 1754; and was conſtituted colonel of a regiment of foot, March 29, 1755, and major general.

4. John, who with his brother Charles, is clerk of the crown, was in November, 1753, elected member of parliament for Higham Ferrers in Northamptonſhire, in the room of John Hill, Eſq; and ſerves for the ſame place in the preſent parliament.

5. The Rev. and Hon. James York, was ordained at Cambridge, in April 1754; and ſoon after on a vacancy, made a prebend of Briſtol, and rector of great Horſley in Eſſex.

His lordſhip's two daughters were, Lady Elizabeth, married to George, Lord Anſon, and died June 1, 1760; and Lady Margaret, married in 1749, to John Heathcote, Eſq; ſon and heir of Sir John Heathcote, Bart.

His eldeſt ſon Philip, now Lord Viſcount Royſton, on the 14th of Dec. 1738, was appointed one of the tellers of the exchequer; and on the 22d of May, 1740, was married to the lady Jemima Campbell, only daughter of John, now Earl of Breadalbin, by the Lady Amabel Grey, eldeſt daughter and coheir of Henry de Grey, late Duke of Kent, by whom he has two daughters, Amabel, born the 2d of Jan, 1750-1,

and Mary Jemima, born Feb. 9, 1756; and her Ladyſhip, by deſcent from his Grace the ſaid Duke of Kent, is Marchioneſs Grey. His Lordſhip in Sept. 1757, was appointed Lord Lieutenant of the county of Cambridge.

Arms.] Argent, a ſaltire, azure, with a bezant in the center.

Creſt.] On a wreath of colours, a lion's head eraſed, proper; collared, gules; charged with a bezant.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a lion guardant, or; collared, gules; charged with a bezant. On the ſiniſter ſide, a ſtag, proper; attired and unguled, or; and collared in like manner.

Motto.] *Nec cupias, nec metuas.*

Chief Seats.] At Hardwicke, in the county of Glouceſter; Wimple, in Cambridgeſhire; Great Ormond-ſtreet, London.

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78. VANE, EARL OF DARLINGTON.

THE Right Hon. HENRY VANE, Earl of DARLINGTON, Viſcount and Baron Barnard of Barnard-Caſtle, in the biſhoprick of Durham, colonel of a company in the ſecond regiment of foot-guards, lord lieutenant, and vice admiral of the county of Durham, and mayor of Durham, ſucceeded his father, Henry, the late Earl, who died March 6, 1758.

His Lordſhip, March 10, 1757, married Miſs Lowther, ſiſter of Sir William Lowther, bart. by whom he had a daughter born May 3, 1759.

Henry, the late Earl, in 1725, married the Lady Grace Fitz-roy, ſecond daughter of Charles, Duke of Cleveland, by whom he had three ſons and three daughters, viz.

1. Henry, the preſent earl.
2. Frederick, born the 26th of June, 1732.

3. Raby, born Jan. 2, 1736.

4. Lady Anne, married in March 1746, to the Hon. Charles Hope Weir, of Cragie-Hall, in Scotland, Eſq; Brother to the Earl of Hopetoun.

5. Lady Mary, married in Oct. 1752, to Ralph Carr, of Cocken, in the county of Durham, Eſq; and,

6. Lady Henrietta, born Dec. 26, 1738.

Of the family of Vane, which were antiently ſeated in Wales, and from thence tranſplanted to Hilden and Badſel in Kent, was Sir Henry Vane, knight, who in 1356 was ſo made by the Black Prince, at the battle of Poictiers, and from him this noble family and that of the earl of Weſtmoreland are deſcended.

Creations.] Baron Barnard, July 8, 1699, 10 Wm. III. Viſcount Barnard, and Earl Darlington, April 3, 1754, 27 Geo. II.

Arms.] Azure, three ſiniſter gauntlets, or.

Creſt.] A dexter hand in armour, couped at the wriſt, proper, holding a ſword argent, hilt and pomel, or.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a griphon, argent; on the ſiniſter an antelope, or, each gorged in a plain collar, azure. The dexter ſide charged with three left hand gauntlets, otherwiſe three martlets, or.

Motto.] *Nec temere nec timide.*

Chief Seats.] At Raby Caſtle, in the biſhopric of Durham; St. James's Square, London.

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79 BELASYSE, EARL FAUCONBERG.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS BELASYSE, Earl FAUCONBERG, Viſcount Fauconberg, and Baron Fauconberg, one of the Lords of his Majeſty's bedchamber, born April 27, 1699, ſucceeded the late Viſcount Thomas, his father, in 1718; and was advanced to the dignity of an Earl in 1756, 29 Geo. II.

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On the 5th of Auguſt, 1726, he married Catharine, daughter and heir of John Betham, of Rowington, in Warwickſhire, Eſq; by which lady, who died May 30, 1760, he has had iſſue three ſons and four daughters, viz.

1. Thomas, who died an infant.

2. A ſecond Thomas, born June 29, 1749, who died in the 12th year of his age.

3. Henry, Viſcount Fauconberg, born in 1742.

4. Lady Catharine.

5. Lady Barbara, married to the Hon. George Barnwell, Eſq;

6. Lady Mary. And,

7. Lady Anne.

Thomas, Viſcount Fauconberg, father of the preſent Earl, married Bridget, daughter of Sir John Gage, of Firle, in Suſſex, Bart. by whom he had iſſue,

1. The preſent Earl.

2. Henry. And,

3. John, who died in their infancy.

4. Rowland, the third ſon, unmarried.

5. Mary, the eldeſt daughter, was married April 4, 1721, to John Pitt, Eſq; third ſon of Thomas Pitt, Eſq; governor of Fort St. George, in the Eaſt-Indies, who is ſince dead.

Anne, ſecond daughter, and,

3. Penelope, both dead.

This noble lord is deſcended from Belaſis, a Norman knight, who came over with William the Conqueror, and was general of the forces ſent to reduce the city and iſle of Ely to the obedience of that prince.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, a chevron; gules between three fleur-de-lis, azure: ſecond and third, argent, a pale ingrailed between two pallets plain, ſable.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a lion couchant guardant azure.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a buck holding in his

his mouth a branch of oak fructed, all proper; on the ſiniſter an unicorn, azure, armed, creſted, and unguled, or.

Motto.] *Bonne & belle aſſez.*

Chief Seats.] At Newborough-hall, and Allerton-caſtle in Yorkſhire; at Sutton in Cheſhire; at St. Thomas's near Stafford; and Great George ſtreet, London.

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80. FOX, EARL OF ILCHESTER.

THE Right Hon. STEPHEN FOX, Earl of ILCHESTER, Lord Ilcheſter and Stavordale, Baron Strangeways of Woodford-Strangeways, Baron of Redlynch, and joint comptroller of accounts of the army, was created Lord Ilcheſter in Somerſetſhire, and Baron Strangeways, of Woodford-Strangeways in Dorſetſhire, May 11, 1741, 14 Geo. II. and Lord Ilcheſter and Stavordale in Somerſetſhire, and Baron of Redlynch in the ſame county, with remainder to the Right Hon. Henry Fox, Eſq; his brother, the 3d of January, 1746-7, 20 Geo. II. and he was created Earl Ilcheſter in June, 1756. His Lordſhip married in March, 1736, Elizabeth Horner, only daughter and heir of Thomas Strangeways Horner, of Wells, in the county of Somerſet, Eſq; by whom he hath iſſue, two ſons and ſix daughters, viz.

1. Henry Thomas, Lord Ilcheſter, born July 29, 1747.

2. Stephen-Strangeways-Digby, born Dec. 3, 1751.

3. The Lady Suſannah Sarah-Louiſa, born Feb. 1, 1742-3.

4. The Lady Charlotte-Elizabeth, born March 11, 1743-4, and died March 16, 1755.

5. The

5. The Lady Juliana-Judith, born July 10, 1744-5, who died April 24, 1749.

6. The Lady Lucy, born Dec. 15, 1748.

7. The Lady Chriſtian-Henrietta-Caroline, born Jan. 3. 1749-50. And,

8. Lady Frances Muriel, born Aug. 1755.

Sir Stephen Fox, father of the preſent Earl, married Miſs Elizabeth Whittle, only daughter of Mr. William Whittle, of Lancaſhire, by whom he had iſſue.

1. Stephen, who died in France.

2. Charles, Eſq; who married Elizabeth-Carr Trollop, only daughter and heir of Sir William Trollop, of Lincoln, Bart. and died without iſſue, in 1713.

3. Stephen, who died in 1675.

4. William, who died in 1680.

5. James, who died in 1677.

6. John, who died in 1667.

7. Elizabeth, married Dec. 27, 1673, to John Lord Cornwallis, by whom he had iſſue, Charles, late Lord Cornwallis.

8. Margaret, the ſecond daughter, died unmarried, in 1687.

9. Jane, the youngeſt daughter, married, in 1685, to George, Earl of Northampton, and died in 1721. [*See* Northampton, *Earl.*]

The ſaid Sir Stephen Fox, in 1703, married Chriſtian, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Charles Hope, of Naſely, in Lincolnſhire, by whom he had iſſue, two ſons and two daughters, viz.

1. Stephen, now Earl of Ilcheſter.

2. The Right Hon. Henry Fox, Eſq; pay-maſter general of his Majeſty's forces, and one of his Majeſty's moſt Hon. privy council. He married in May, 1744, the Lady Georgina-Carolina, Lenox, eldeſt daughter of his Grace Charles, late Duke of Richmond, by whom he had iſſue, four ſons, Stephen, born Feb. 20, 1744. Henry-Charles, who died in 1746;

Charles

Charles-James, born Jan. 14, 1748-9; and Henry Edward Fox, born March 4, 1755.

3. Charlotte, only ſurviving daughter of the ſaid Sir Stephen Fox, married to the Hon. Edward Digby, Eſq; and is mother to the preſent Lord Digby.

Arms.] Ermine on a chevron, azure, three foxes heads erazed, or; and in a canton, azure, a fleur-de-lis, or.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, azure, turned up, ermine, a fox, ſejant, or.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a fox, ermine; frettee, or; collared dovetail, azure; three fleurs-de-lis of the ſecond. On the ſiniſter ſide, a fox, proper; collared in like manner.

Motto.] *Faire ſans dire.*

Chief Seats.] At Redlynch, near Bruton in Somerſetſhire; in Burlington-ſtreet, London.

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SHORT VIEW OF THE PEERAGE OF ENGLAND.

1. DEVEREUX, VISCOUNT HEREFORD.

THE Right Hon. EDWARD DEVEREUX, Viſcount HEREFORD, and Baronet, Premier Viſcount of England, ſucceeded Price, the late Viſcount, in Aug. 1748. He married Catharine, daughter of Richard Myton, of Garth, in the county of Montgomery, Eſq; who died Feb. 2, 1748-9, leaving iſſue by him,

1. Bridget, born May 9, 1739.
2. Arthur, born March 20, 1740, and died July 15, the ſame year.
3. Edward, born Feb. 10, 1740-1.
4. Arthur, born Feb. 10, 1741-2, and died Sept. 1743.
5. Catharine, born Feb. 7, 1742-3.
6. George, born April 25, 1744.

Price, the late and tenth Viſcount Hereford, born July 9, 1694, married Jan. 3, 1720, Elizabeth, only daughter of Leiceſter Martin, Eſq; which lady dying without iſſue, he married July 30, 1740, Eleonora, daughter of—Price, of Rhwlas, in Merionethſhire, Eſq;

Arthur Devereux, Eſq; father of the preſent Viſcount, married Miſs Glynn, daughter of Evan Glynn, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue, two ſons, Arthur and

Vaughan,

Vaughan, who died in their minority; and their mother dying alſo, he married Miſs Elizabeth Glynn, daughter of Richard Glynn, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue, Edward, the preſent Lord Viſcount Hereford, who ſucceeded Price, late lord, who died without iſſue; and having proved his diſcent from the late Walter, Viſcount Hereford, who died in 1588, he took his ſeat in the houſe of peers, April 3, 1750.

Of this family was Robert Devereux, Earl of Eſſex, general of the parliament army againſt king Charles I.

This noble lord is deſcended from Evreux, of Normandy, from which town the family took their name. His anceſtors, attending William the Conqueror in his deſcent on England, were rewarded for their ſervices with manors and lands taken from the Engliſh of a very great value.

Arms.] Argent, a feſs, gules, in chief three torteauxes.

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, or, a talbot's head, argent; eared gules.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a talbot argent; eared, gules; with a ducal coronet of the ſecond. On the ſiniſter, a rein deer of the laſt, attired, gorged with a ducal coronet, and chained, or.

Motto.] *Baſis virtutum conſtantia.*

Chief Seat.] At Nanteribba, in Montgomeryſhire.

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2. BROWN, VISCOUNT MONTAGU.

THE Right Hon. ANTHONY BROWN, Viſcount MONTAGU, ſucceeded his father Henry, the late viſcount, June 25, 1717; and in 1740, married Barbara, third daughter of Sir John Webb, of Hathorp, in the county of Glouceſter, Bart. by whom he had iſſue, ſeveral children, whereof one ſon, Anthony and one daughter, Mary, are living.

Henry,

Henry, Lord Viſcount Montagu, father of the preſent Viſcount, married Barbara, daughter of James Walſingham, of Cheſterford in Eſſex, Eſq; and left iſſue, one ſon and ſix daughters.

1. Anthony, the preſent viſcount.
2. Mary. And,
3. Elizabeth, both dead.
4. Barbara, married to Ralph Salvin, Eſq;
5. Catharine, married to George Colingwood, Eſq;
6. Anne, married to Anthony Kemp, Eſq;
7. Henrietta, married to——Harcourt, Eſq;

This noble lord is deſcended from Sir Anthony Brown, who was made knight of the bath, at the coronation of King Richard II.

Arms.] Sable, three lions paſſant in bend, between two double cotiſes, argent.

Creſt.] On a wreath, an eagle diſplayed, vert.

Supporters.] Two wolves, argent; with each a plain collar and chain, or.

Motto.] *Suivez raiſon.*

Chief Seats.] At Cowdry in Suſſex.

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3. FIENES, VISCOUNT SAY AND SELE.

THE Right Hon. RICHARD FIENES, Viſcount and Baron Say and Sele, ſucceeded Laurence, late Viſcount Say and Sele his couſin, in Dec. 1742. He married Jan. 28, 1754, Iſabella, daughter of Sir John Tirrel, and relict of John Pigot of Dodderſhill, in the county of Bucks, Eſq;

Richard Fienes, a clergyman, father to the preſent Lord Viſcount Say and Sele, married Penelope, daughter of George Chamberlain, of Wardingdon, in Oxfordſhire, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue,

1. Richard his ſon, now viſcount Say and Sele.
2. Suſannah, married to —— Gordon, of Greenwich, Eſq;
3. Pene-

3. Penelope, who married Richard Wykham, of Strateley, in the county of Oxford, Eſq;

4. Elizabeth, married to the Rev. Mr. Henry Quartley, rector of Wicken in Northampton.

5. Celicia.

The ſaid Laurence, late Viſcount Say and Sele, ſecond ſon of John Fienes, third ſon of William Viſcount Say and Sele, ſucceeded to that title on the death of Nathaniel, Viſcount Say and Sele, Feb. 24, 1709-10; and dying unmarried, was ſucceeded by the preſent viſcount.

This noble lord is deſcended from John, Baron Fienes, hereditary conſtable of Dover-caſtle, and Lord Warden of the cinque-ports in the twelfth century.

Arms.] Azure, three lions rampant, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a wolf ſejant, argent; his radiant collar and chain, or.

Supporters.] Two wolves, argent; gorged and chained, or.

Motto.] *Fortem poſce animum.*

Chief Seats.] At Doddershill in Bucks; Golden-Square, London.

4. TOWNSHEND, VISCOUNT TOWNSHEND.

THE Right Hon. CHARLES TOWNSHEND, Viſcount TOWNSHEND of Raynham, and Baron Townſhend, of Lynn-Regis, an Baronet, ſucceeded his father Charles, the late viſcount, in June 1738. His lordſhip married Audrey, daughter and ſole heir of Edward Harriſon, of Hertfordſhire, Eſq; governor of Fort St. George in India, and by her hath iſſue four ſons and one daughter:

1. George, Brigadier General of his Majeſty's Forces born Feb. 28, 1723-4, was in May 1758 appointed colonel of the 28th regiment of Foot, and in 1751, married the lady Charlotte Compton, only daugh-

daughter and heir to James, Earl of Northampton, and baroneſs Ferrers of Chartley, by whom he has iſſue, one ſon, George, born May 7, 1753; and a daughter, Charlotte, born Oct. 15, 1754.

2. Charles, who on the 15th of Auguſt, 1755, married Lady Caroline, eldeſt daughter and coheir of his Grace, John Duke of Greenwich, widow of Francis, Earl of Dalkeith, ſon and heir of Francis, Duke of Buccleugh.

3. Edward, who died unmarried.

4. Roger, an officer in the army.

5. Audrey, unmarried.

Charles, Lord viſcount Townſhend, father of the preſent viſcount, married Elizabeth, daughter and ſole heir to Thomas, Lord Pelham, who died May 11, 1711, leaving iſſue, four ſons and one daughter:

1. Charles, the preſent viſcount.

2. Thomas, who on May 2, 1730, was married to Albina, daughter of Col. John Selwyn.

3. William, who on May 29, 1725, was married to Henrietta, only daughter of the Lord William Paulet, by whom he had iſſue one ſon and four daughters.

4. Roger; and,

5. Elizabeth, married to Charles, Lord Cornwallis.

His Lordſhip in July, 1713, married Dorothy, Daughter of Robert Walpole, in the county of Norfolk, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue four ſons and two daughters, viz.

1. George, Vice-Admiral of the white.

2. Auguſtus, who died in 1745.

3. Horatio, commiſſioner of the victualling-office.

4. Edward, prebend of Weſtminſter, married, in May 1747, a daughter of Brigadier Gen. Price.

5. Dorothy, married in 1743, to Spencer Cowper, brother to the preſent Earl Cowper, and Dean of Durham.

6. Mary, married to the Hon Col. Edw. Cornwallis.

The late Lord Viſcount Townſhend was apointed principal ſecretary of ſtate in the reign of King

George I. in 1720, and continued ſo to the end of his Majeſty's reign; when upon reſigning the ſeals, they were returned to him again by his preſent Majeſty, King George II. who continued him principal ſecretary of ſtate, to the year 1730.

This family are of Norman extraction, and came into England about the time of the conqueſt.

Arms.] Azure, a chevron, ermine between three eſcalop ſhells, argent.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a buck, ſable, attired proper.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a buck, ſable; on the ſiniſter, a greyhound, argent.

Motto.] *Hæc generi incrementa fides.*

Chief Seats.]At Raynham-hall and Stiffcay-hall, in the county of Norfolk; Groſvenor-ſtreet, London.

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5. THYNNE, VISCOUNT WEYMOUTH.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS THYNNE, Viſcount WEYMOUTH, and Baron Thynne, of Warminſter, and Bart. high ſteward of Tamworth, born Sept. 13, 1734, ſucceeded Thomas the late viſcount his father, in his honour and eſtate, Jan. 12, 1750-1; and married May 22, 1759, the Lady Elizabeth Bentinck, eldeſt daughter of the preſent Duke of Portland, by whom he has a daughter, born March 26, 1760.

Thomas Thynne, late viſcount Weymouth, father of the preſent Viſcount, ſucceeded to the title and eſtate of his grandfather's elder brother Thomas, Lord Viſcount Weymouth, in 1714; he married on the 6th of Dec. 1726, the Lady Elizabeth Sackville, daughter of his Grace Lionel Duke of Dorſet, which lady died June 29, 1729. His lordſhip married July 3, 1733, Louiſa, daughter of the Right Hon. John Earl Granville, by whom he had iſſue three ſons, viz.

1. Thomas, the preſent Viſcount.

2. James;

2. James; and

3. Henry-Frederick, of whom her ladyſhip died in child-bed, Dec. 25, 1736.

Of this family was Thomas Thynne, Eſq; who was ſhot in his coach on the 12th of February, 1682, by ſome aſſaſſins employed by Count Coningſmark, a German nobleman, to murder him, looking upon this gentleman as a ſucceſsful rival; of which there is an account on his monument in the ſouth iſle of Weſtminſter-abbey; whereon is his effigies cumbent, and in the front his figure in a coach, with three aſſaſſins ſurrounding it, and one of them firing at him with a blunderbuſs. The three aſſaſſins were foreigners in the count's ſervice, and were all of them convicted and executed; while the count, who ſet them to work was ſpared, and permitted to return to Germany.

This noble family are deſcended from the Bottevilles of Poictou in France, who came over into England in the reign of King John, and ſettled at Longleate in Wiltſhire, where they aſſumed the name of Thynne.

Arms.] Barry of ten, or and ſable.

Creſt. On a wreath, a rein-deer, or.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a rein deer, or, gorged, with a plain collar, ſable; on the ſiniſter, a lion, gules.

Motto.] *J'ay bonne cauſe.*

Chief Seats.] At Drayton Baſſit, in Warwickſhire; Botsfield in Longleate, Wiltſhire; Cravenſtreet, London.

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6. HATTON, VISCOUNT HATTON.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM HATTON, Viſcount HATTON, of Cretton, and Baron Hatton of Kerby, born in 1690, ſucceeded his father the late Viſcount, in 1706, and is yet unmarried.

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Chriſtopher, Lord Hatton, father of the preſent viſcount, was created viſcount Hatton, Jan 17, 1682. He married firſt the lady Cecilia Tufton, third daughter of John Earl of Thanet, by whom he had iſſue, 1. Anne, married to Daniel Finch, late Earl of Winchelſea and Nottingham: (*See Earl of* Winchelſea)

2. Margaret, and,

3. Elizabeth, who died young.

And the lady, their mother, dying, he married in 1676, his ſecond wife Frances, only daughter to Sir Henry Yelverton, by whom he had iſſue, but all died young; and ſhe dying, May 15, 1684, his lordſhip married to his third wife, Elizabeth, daughter and coheir of Sir William Haſlewood, of Maidwell in Northamptonſhire, and by her had three ſons and three daughters.

1. William, the preſent viſcount.

2. Charles.

3. John.

4. Elizabeth.

5. Penelope; and,

6. Anne, who are all unmarried.

This noble lord is deſcended from Sir Chriſtopher Hatton, who was captain of the guard to Queen Elizabeth; afterwards vice-chamberlain, and of her majeſty's privy-council, and in 1587, was conſtituted lord high chancellor of England, and the next year was elected knight of the garter.

He was deſcended from Ivon, Viſcount of Coutantin in Normandy, whoſe poſterity came over into England ſoon after the conqueſt, and ſettled in the county of Cheſter, and afterwards in Northamptonſhire.

Arms.] Azure, a chevron between three garbs, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a hind at gaze, or.

Supporters.] Two horſes, argent; bridled, ſable.

Motto.] *Virtus Tutiſſima Caſſis.*

Chief Seat.] At Kirby in Northamptonſhire.

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7. ST. JOHN, VISCOUNT BOLINGBROKE.

THE Right Hon. FREDERICK ST. JOHN, Lord Viſcount BOLINGBROKE, and St. John, Baron St. John of Lydiard-Tregoze, and Baron St. John of Batterſea, ſucceeded to the Honours and Eſtates of his Uncle the late Lord Viſcount Bolingbroke, who died in the Year 1754.

The preſent Viſcount was, the ſame year, admitted into the Houſe of Lords, and in September 1757, was married to Lady Diana Spencer, daughter to his Grace the late Duke of Marlborough.

Henry, the late Lord Viſcount Bolingbroke, was ſoon after the acceſſion of Queen Anne, made ſecretary of War, and in 1708, ſecretary of ſtate. On the 24th of October, 1713, he was conſtituted lord lieutenant, and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Eſſex; but in 1714, his honours and eſtate were forfeited by an act of attainder.

He was afterwards reſtored in blood, and his paternal eſtate ſecured to his heirs.

His firſt wife was Frances, daughter and coheir of Sir Henry Winchcomb. His ſecond wife was Maria-Clara de Champs de Mareſilly, marchioneſs de Villette, born of a noble family in France.

His lordſhip having no iſſue by either of them, his honours deſcended to his nephew Frederick, the preſent lord viſcount Bolingbroke.

This noble lord is deſcended from the lords of Baſing in Hampſhire, who were barons at the time of the Conqueſt.

Arms.] Argent, on a chief, gules, two mullets, pierced, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a mount proper, and therefrom a falcon riſing, with bells, or, and ducally gorged, gules.

Supporters.] Two eagles with wings expanded, or, crowned ducally, gules, and upon each breaſt a pair of horſes hemes, tied at the top and bottom, proper, within which is party-per-pale, argent and gules.

Motto.] *Nec quærere nec ſpernere Honorem.*

Chief Seats.] At Batterſea; in Surrey; at Lydiard in Wilts; and Charles-ſtreet, Berkeley-ſquare, London.

8. BOSCAWEN, VISCOUNT FALMOUTH.

THE Right Hon. HUGH BOSCAWEN, Viſcount FALMOUTH, Baron Boſcawen-Roſe, one of his Majeſty's privy council, lieutenant-general of his Majeſty's forces, and captain of the yeomen of the guards, ſucceeded Hugh, the late viſcount his father, Oct. 25, 1734. He married married Maria Ruſſel, widow of —— Ruſſel, by whom he has no iſſue.

Hugh, Viſcount Falmouth, father of the preſent Viſcount, was by Queen Anne, created Lord Viſcount Falmouth, &c. and was groom of the bed-chamber to his Royal Highneſs the Prince of Denmark. On the acceſſion of his late Majeſty, he was made comptroller of his Majeſty's houſhold; and on the 13th of June 1720, 6 George I. was created Baron of Boſcawen-Roſe and Viſcount Falmouth. He married Charlotte, eldeſt daughter and coheir of Charles Godfrey, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue eight ſons and ten daughters, viz.

1. Hugh, the preſent Viſcount.

2. Edward, admiral of the blue, one of the lords of the admiralty, and one of his majeſty's privy-council, married to Miſs Glanville of St. Clere in Kent, in December 1742, by whom he has iſſue ſons and daughters. In conjunction with General Amherſt, he took the iſland of Cape-Breton from the French in July 1758, and took and deſtroyed five French men of war in Auguſt 1759.

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3. George, a major-general in the army, married the Hon. Miſs Trevor.

4. John, colonel of a regiment of foot, married Miſs Surman, who died Jan. 18, 1749.

5. William-Frederick, who died unmarried.

6. Nicholas, D. D. dean of St. Buriens in Cornwal, married a daughter of—Woodward, relict of—Hatton.

7. Lady Charlotte, married to Henry Moor, Earl of Drogheda, who died in April 1735.

8. Lady Anne, married to Sir Cecil Biſhop, Bart. and is ſince dead.

9. Lady Mary, married in Aug. 1732, to John Evelyn, Eſq; alſo dead.

10. Lady Lucy, married to Charles Frederick, Eſq; and,

11. Lady Kitty, who died unmarried.

The reſt died young and unmarried.

This noble Lord is deſcended from Richard Boſcawen, of the town of Boſcawen, in the county of Cornwall, who flouriſhed in the reign of K. Edward VI.

Arms.] Ermine, a roſe, gules, barbed and ſeeded, proper.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a boar paſſant, gules, armed, briſtled and unguled, or.

Supporters.] Two ſea-lions, Goutes des Larmes, argent.

Motto.] *In Cælo Quies.*

To which Arms are added a feſs between two roſes, being the Lady's arms.

Chief Seats.] At Tregothan, in the county of Cornwall; St. James's-ſquare, London.

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9. BYNG, VISCOUNT TORRINGTON.

THE Rt. Hon. GEORGE BYNG, Viſcount TORRINGTON, Baron Byng and Baronet, born in 1739, ſucceeded George, the late Viſcount his father, April 6, 1750.

George, the late Viſcount, and father of the preſent Viſcount, ſucceeded Pattee, his brother, in Jan. 1746-7; he was colonel of a regiment of foot, and in Oct. 1747, was conſtituted major-general of his Majeſty's forces: he married, 1736, Elizabeth, daughter of —— Daniel, Eſq; ſon of Sir Peter Daniel, Knt. who died April 7, 1756, by which lady, who died March 17, 1759, he had iſſue two ſons, viz.

1. George, the preſent viſcount; and
2. John.

George, grandfather of the preſent Viſcount, was created a Baronet Nov. 15, 1715, and Baron and Viſcount Sept. 9, 1721; he married in 1691, Margaret, daughter of James Maſter, of Eaſt-Langden in the county of Kent, Eſq; and by her, who died April 1, 1756, he had eleven ſons and four daughters, of which thoſe who ſurvived him were,

1. Pattee, who ſucceeded him.
2. George, the late viſcount.
3. Robert, commiſſioner of his Majeſty's navy, and governor of Barbadoes, married Elizabeth, daughter of Jonathan Forward, Eſq; and died in Oct. 1740, leaving iſſue three ſons.
4. John, admiral of the blue, who, agreeable to the ſentence of a court-martial, was ſhot on board his majeſty's ſhip the Monarque, in Portſmouth harbour, March 14, 1757.
5. Edward, married in 1730, Mary, daughter and heir of John Bramſton, of Screens in Eſſex, Eſq; He died 1756. And,
6. Sarah, his only ſurviving daughter, married John Osborn, Eſq; ſon of Sir John Osborn, of Chickſand, in the county of Bedford, Bart. by whom ſhe had a ſon Sir D'Anvers Osborn, Bart. married in 1740, to the Lady Mary Montagu, daughter of George late Earl of Halifax.

This noble Lord is deſcended from the Byngs of Wrotham, in the county of Kent, who flouriſhed there in the reign of king Henry VII.

Arms.] Quarterly, ſable and argent; in the firſt a lion rampant of the ſecond.

Creſt.] On a wreath, ſable and argent, an antelope paſſant, ermine; horned, tusked, flaſhed, maned and hoofed, or; langued, gules.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, an antelope, ermine; horned, maned, and hoofed, or; ſtanding on a ſhip gun, proper. And on the ſiniſter ſide, a ſea-horſe, proper; finned, or; on a like gun.

Motto.] *Tuebor.*

Chief Seats.] At Southill, in Bedfordſhire; Privy-garden, Whitehall, London.

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10. FITZGERALD, VISCOUNT LEINSTER.

THE Right Hon. JAMES FITZ-GERALD, Viſcount LEINSTER in England, Earl of Kildare, and Baron of Offaley, Premier Earl and Baron of the kingdom of Ireland, ſucceeded his father Robert in his Eſtate, and in the Earldom of Kildare and Barony of Offaley, in February, 1743-4. His Lordſhip was created a Peer of Great Britain Feb. 28, 1746-7, by the title of Viſcount Leinſter of Taplow, in the county of Buckingham. He married, Feb. 7, 1746-7, the Lady Emilia, daughter of his Grace Charles, late Duke of Richmond, by whom he hath iſſue, George, born Jan. 15, 1747-8, and Robert, Caroline Mabel, and Emilia.

Robert, the late Earl of Kildare, father of the preſent Earl, ſucceeded John the eighteenth Earl of Kildare, his father in 1707. He married in March, 1708-9, the Lady Mary O'Brien, eldeſt daughter of William, Earl of Inchiquin, and had iſſue, four ſons and eight daughters, viz.

1. William, Lord Offaley, born in Jan. 1714-15, died an infant.

2. George, who died young.
3. James, now Viſcount Leinſter, &c.
4. Charles, who died in 1733.
5. Lady Mary, eldeſt daughter.
6. Lady Elizabeth.
7. Lady Henrietta.
8. Lady Catherine.
9. Lady Anne, and,
10. Lady Frances; which ſix daughters all died young.
11. Lady Margaret, born in July, 1722, and married, in 1748, to the Lord Viſcount Hilſborough.
12. Lady Charlotte, who died in October 1743.

This noble Lord is deſcended from Walter Fitz-Other, who poſſeſſed ſeveral lordſhips in the counties of Hampſhire and Buckinghamſhire, in the reign of Edward the Confeſſor; and was warden of all the foreſts in Berkſhire, and Caſtellan of Windſor in the reign of William the Conqueror. Maurice Fitz-Gerald, another of this Lord's anceſtors, contributed very much to the conqueſt of Ireland in the reign of king Henry II. and was rewarded with a great eſtate in lands in the province of Leinſter, and particularly the Barony of Offaley, and the caſtle of Wicklow, and died, covered with honours, in the year 1177, 24 Hen. II.

The late Lord's father preſerved the city of Dublin from being plundered and burnt, after king James's defeat at the battle of the Boyne, in 1690.

[*For a more particular and ſatisfactory account of this noble family, the reader is directed to conſult the third Volume of this work, containing an Account of the Peerage of Ireland.*]

Arms.] Pearl, a ſaltire, ruby.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a monkey at gaze, proper; environed about the middle, and chained, topaz.

Supporters.] Two monkeys environed and chained, as the creſt.

Motto.]

Motto.] *Crom aboo.*

Chief Seats.] At Maynooth, Cartown, and Dullardſtown, all in the county of Kildare, in Ireland.

11. BOUVERIE, VISCOUNT FOLKESTON.

THE Right Hon. JACOB BOUVERIE, Viſcount FOLKESTON, Lord Longford, and Baron of Longford, and Baronet, and preſident of the ſociety for encouraging arts, manufactures, and commerce, ſucceeded his brother, Sir Edward de Bouverie, in his honour and eſtate, in Nov. 1736; and on the 29th of June 1747, was created Lord Longford, Baron of Longford in the county of Wilts, and Viſcount Folkeſton of Folkeſton, in the county of Kent. He married Mary, daughter and ſole heir of Bartholomew Clarke, of Roehampton, in the county of Surry, Eſq; by whom he has living two ſons and four daughters, viz.

1. William, married in Jan. 1747, to Harriot, only daughter and heir of Sir Mark Stewart-Pleydel, of Coleſhill in Berkſhire, Bart. which Lady dying in May 1750, left one ſon Jacob, born in March 1750. He married 2dly, Sept. 5, 1751, Rebecca, daughter of John Alleyn of Barbadoes, Eſq; by whom he has iſſue William Henry, born in Oct. 1752, and Bartholomew, born Oct. 29, 1753.

2. Edward.

3. Anne.

4. Mary, married March 16, 1759, to Anthony, the preſent Earl of Shaftſbury.

5. Charlotte, and,

6. Harriot.

His Lady dying in Nov. 1739, he married in April 1741, the Hon. Elizabeth Marſham, eldeſt daughter of Robert late Lord Romney, by whom he has had two ſons,

1. Jacob, who is ſince dead. And,
2. Philip, born in October 1746, now living.

William, eldeſt ſon of Sir Edward de Bouverie, Knt. father of the preſent Viſcount Folkeſton, was created a Baronet in 1713. He married Mary, daughter of James Edwards of London, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue, a ſon Edward, who died young: his ſecond wife was Anne, daughter and ſole heir of David Urry, of London, Eſq; by whom he had ſeveral children, of whom three ſons and two daughters only lived to maturity, viz.

1. Edward, who ſucceeded him in 1717, and married Mary, daughter and coheir of John Smith, Eſq; was ſucceeded by,
2. Jacob, his brother, the preſent Viſcount.
3. Chriſtopher, who died unmarried.
4. Jane, married to John Allen-Puſey, of Puſey in Berkſhire, Eſq; who died in 1742, without iſſue.
5. Anne, who is unmarried.

This noble Lord is deſcended from the Deſboveries, of the caſtle Deſboveries, near the city of Liſle, in Flanders, who came into England on account of the perſecution for religion in that country, and ſettled at Canterbury.

Arms.] Party-per-feſs, or and argent, an eagle diſplayed, with two heads, ſable.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a demi-eagle diſplayed, ſable; beaked and ducally gorged, or; on his breaſt a croſs corſlet, argent.

Supporters.] On each ſide, an eagle reguardant, ſable; gorged with a ducal coronet, charged on the breaſt with a croſs corſlet, argent.

Motto.] *Patria cara, Carior Libertas.*

Chief Seats.] At Longford, near Salisbury, in Wiltſhire; in Clifford-ſtreet, London.

A SHORT

A SHORT VIEW OF THE PEERAGE OF ENGLAND.

1. NEVILLE, LORD ABERGAVENNY.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE NEVILLE, Lord ABERGAVENNY, Premier Baron of England, Lord Lieutenant, and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Suſſex, ſucceeded his father William late Lord Abergavenny, Sept. 21, 1744.

His Lordſhip married, Feb. 5, 1753, Henrietta, daughter of Thomas Pelham, late of Stanmere in the county of Suſſex, Eſq, who in Feb. 1755, was brought to bed of a ſon and heir, named Henry.

William, the late and 14th Lord Abergavenny, father of the preſent Lord, married, in May 1725, Catherine daughter of Lieutenant general Tatton, and widow of the late Edward, Lord Abergavenny, and by her, who died on the 4th of December 1728, had iſſue, a ſon George, the preſent Lord; and daughter Catherine. His Lordſhip married again May 20, 1732, the Lady Rebecca, daughter of Thomas, Earl of Pembroke, and by her who died Oct. 20, 1758, had iſſue three daughters and one ſon, viz.

1. Harriot, born Nov. 17, 1734.

2. Mary, born June 13, 1736, and died Aug. 2, 1758.

3. Sophia, born March 14, 1738, and died Jan. 3, 1759.

4. William, born in October 1741.

This noble Lord is deſcended from John of Gaunt, fourth ſon of king Edward III.

Arms.] Gules on a ſaltire, argent, a roſe of the firſt, barbed and ſeeded, proper.

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, or, a bull's head, argent; pied, ſable; armed of the firſt, and charged on the neck with a roſe, gules.

Supporters.] Two bulls, argent, pied, ſable, armed unguled, collared, and chained, or.

Motto.] *Ne vile velis.*

Chief Seats.] At the caſtle of Abergavenny, in Monmouthſhire; at Eridge, and Kidbrook-Hall, in Suſſex; and Charles-ſtreet, Berkley-ſquare, London.

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2. TOUCHET, LORD AUDLEY.

THE Right Hon. JOHN TOUCHET, Earl of CASTLEHAVEN, in Ireland, Baron Audley of Heleigh, and Baron of Orier in England, ſucceeded his father James, who died in October 1740.

James Touchet, late Earl of Caſtlehaven, and Baron Audley, ſucceeded his father James, in 1700, married Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Lord Arundel, and had iſſue, a ſon, born April 15, 1723, named John, the preſent Lord Audley.

This noble Lord is deſcended from the ancient family of the Touchets of Normandy, which attended William the Conqueror in his expedition to England in the year 1066.

Arms.] Ermine, a chevron, gules.

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, or, a ſwan riſing, argent; ducally gorged of the firſt.

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Supporters.] Two wyverns, with wings expanded ſable.

Motto.] *Je le tiens.*

Chief Seats.] At Hileigh-Caſtle in Staffordſhire; and Caſtle-Haven, in Ireland.

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3. BARRET-LENNARD, LORD DACRE.

THE Rt. Hon. THOMAS BARRET-LENNARD, Lord DACRE, born in 1716, ſuccedeed his mother Anne, Baroneſs Dacre, who became heir to that title and eſtate on the death of her elder ſiſter Barbara, in 1740. She married firſt Richard Barret-Lennard, Eſq; who died ſoon after, by whom ſhe had a ſon, viz. Thomas Barrett-Lennard, now Lord Dacre, who married Anne, daughter of Sir John Pratt, Knt. and had iſſue a daughter, named Anna Barbara, who died 1749.

The ſaid Anne, Baroneſs Dacre, afterwards married Henry father of the preſent Lord Teynham, and had iſſue. *See Lord* Teynham. She was married laſtly, to the Hon. Rob. Moor, Eſq; a younger ſon of Henry Earl of Drogheda of the kingdom of Ireland, by whom ſhe had one ſon named Henry.

Thomas Lennard Lord Dacre, father of the late Baroneſs, was created Earl of Suſſex, Oct. 5, 26 Charles II. He married Lady Anne Fitzroy, natural daughter of king Charles II. by Barbara Dutcheſs of Cleveland, by whom he had iſſue one ſon and two daughters.

1. Charles; and
2. Henry, who died in their infancy.
3. Barbara; and,
4. Anne.

Who on their father's death in 1715, became heirs to the Barony of Dacre, which was held in abeyance between them, till the Lady Barbara, who married Charles Skelton, Eſq; a general officer in the ſer-

vice of the king of France, dying without iſſue in the year 1740, the Lady Anne, her ſiſter, then became ſole heir to her father; and was ſucceeded by her ſon the preſent Lord Dacre.

This noble family were long reſident at Chevening in Kent; they were barons originally by tenure and writ of ſummons the 25th of Edward I. 1297; alſo by writ of ſummons 36 Henry VI. 1460, again declared 2 James I. 1604.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, or, on a feſſe gules, three fleurs-de-lis of the firſt for Lennard; ſecond and third, party-per-pale, barry of four, counter-changed, argent and gules, for Barret.

Creſt.] An Arabian dog's head, argent, langued, gules, eyes, or, iſſuing out of a ducal coronet, or; and ſometimes a hydra, proper, on a wreath, argent and gules, being the Barret-creſt.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, an alant argent, langued gules, with a ſpiked collar, chain, and clog, or; on the ſiniſter ſide, a bull, gules, horned, or, collared with a ducal coronet and chain, or,

Motto.] *Pour bien deſirer.*

Chief Seats.] Bell-houſe, in Eſſex, Bruton-ſtreet, London.

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4. WEST, LORD DELAWARR.

THE Right Hon. JOHN WEST, Lord DELAWARR, one of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy-council, knight of the Bath, lieutenant-general, and colonel of the firſt troop of horſe-guards, governor of the iſland of Guernſey, maſter foreſter of the Bailiwic of Fritham in the New Foreſt, and F. R. S. was born April 4, 1693, and ſucceeded his father John, the late Lord, May 26, 1723.

He married in 1721, the Lady Charlotte Maccarty daughter to Donagh Earl of Clancarty in Ireland, and by her had iſſue two ſons and two daughters, viz.

1. John, born in 1729, married Aug, 1756, to Miſs Whynyard, daughter of the late general, by whom he had a ſon born in April 1757, and a ſon born July 31, 1758.

2. George, born in 1733, was in Nov. 1759, appointed captain-lieutenant in the foot-guards, with the rank of lieutenant-colonel.

3. Henrietta-Cecilia, born in 1730.

4. Diana, born in 1731; and married to Colonel Clavering, Nov. 9, 1756.

His Lady dying in 1734-5, his Lordſhip married in 1744, his ſecond Lady, Anne relict of Lord Abergavenny, which Lady died in June 1748, leaving no iſſue.

John, father of the preſent Lord, married Margaret, ſole daughter and heir of John Freeman, merchant, and died on the 26th of May 1723, leaving iſſue by her, John, the preſent Lord, and a daughter Elizabeth, who in Auguſt 1724, was married to Thomas Diggs, of Chilham Caſtle in Kent, Eſq; and had iſſue two ſons, Weſt and Dudley.

This noble family is deſcended from the Weſts, a great family in the weſt of England; but in the reign of Edward II. they appear to have been ſeized of manors and lands in the county of Warwick.

Thomas Lord Delawarr, one of his Lordſhip's anceſtors, was captain-general of Virginia in 1609; and going over thither, contributed more to the planting and ſupporting the firſt Engliſh colonies there, than any of the adventurers in the reign of K. James I.

Arms.] Argent, a feſs dancette, ſable.

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, or, a gryphon's head, azure; ears and beak of the firſt.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a wolf coward, argent; his plain collar, or. On the ſiniſter, a cockatrice of the ſecond, his wings diſplayed, gules and or.

Motto.] *Jour de ma vie.*

Chief-Seats.] At Whorwell, in Hampſhire; Bolderwood, Hants; Sheffeld-place, Suſſex; Hanover-Square, London.

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5. STOURTON, LORD STOURTON.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM STOURTON, Lord STOURTON, Baron Stourton, ſucceeded his brother Charles, who died without iſſue the 11th of March 1753. He married Winifred, daughter of Philip Howard, of Buckenham in Norfolk, Eſq; brother to the preſent duke of Norfolk, by whom he hath iſſue.

Charles-Philip, born Aug. 22, 1752; and two daughters, viz.

1. Catherine, born Aug. 6, 1750. And
2. Charlotte-Mary, born Sept. 16, 1751.

Thomas, the 13th Lord Stourton, father of the laſt and preſent Lords, married Catherine, daughter of Richard Frampton, of Bitſton in the county of Dorſet, Eſq; and by her had two ſons the late and preſent Lords, and three daughters Mary, Catherine, and Jane.

This noble Lord is deſcended from Sir Ralph Stourton, of Stourton in Wiltſhire, who oppoſed William the Conqueror in the weſt of England, until he granted Sir Ralph and his followers the terms they inſiſted on.

Arms.] Sable, a bend, or between ſix fountains, proper.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a demi-grey-friar, habited in ruſſet; girt, or; holding a ſcourge of three laſhes with knots, gules.

Supporters.] Two ſea-dogs, proper; ſcaled on their backs, and finned, or.

Motto.] *Loyal je ſerai durant ma vie.*

Chief Seat.] At Stourton-Caſtle, in Staffordſhire.

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6. VERNEY, BARON WILLOUGHBY OF BROKE.

THE Right Hon. JOHN-PEYTO VERNEY, Baron WILLOUGHBY of Broke, born in 1738, ſucceeded his uncle Richard, the late Lord, who died the 11th of Auguſt, 1752.

The late Lord Richard, married Margaret, daughter of Mr. Nehemiah Walker, of the county of Monmouth, by whom he hath had iſſue one ſon, who died an infant

This noble Lord is deſcended from William de Vernai, who flouriſhed in the reign of king Henry I. *Anno.* 1419.

Arms.] Gules, three croſſes recercele, verded, or, a chief vaire, ermine and erminois.

Creſt.] On a wreath, the buſt of a man couped and affronte, proper, crowned ducally, or.

Supporters.] Two antelopes, argent, ſpotted gules, armed, creſted and unguled, or.

Motto.] *Vertue vaunceth.*

Chief Seats.] At Compton Murdack and Cheſterton, in Warwickſhire.

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7. NOEL, LORD WENTWORTH.

THE Right Hon. EDWARD NOEL, Lord WENTworth, of Nettleſted, and Baronet, ſucceeded Martha, Baroneſs of Wentworth in 1745, and married Judith, daughter of William Lamb of Farndiſh, in the county of Northampton, Eſq; by whom he has iſſue one ſon named Thomas, born November 18, 1745; and a daughter Judith,

Sir Clobery Noel, Bart. father of the preſent Lord, married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Rowney of Oxford, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue, ſix ſons and one daughter, viz.

1. Edward, the preſent Lord.

2. The Rev. Clobery Noel.

3. Thomas, captain of one of his Majeſty's ſhips of war, was mortally wounded in the action off Port-mahon with the French in May 1756, and ſoon died after at Gibraltar.

4. The

4. The Rev, John Noel.
5. The Rev. Rowney Noel.
6. William-James Noel, who died young. And,
7. Mary.

This noble Lord is deſcended from the ſame anceſtor with the Earl of Strafford.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, frette, gules, a canton ermine, for Noel; ſecond, a chevron between three leopards faces, or, for Wentworth; three gules, on a chief, indented, ſable; three martlets, argent, for Lovelace.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a buck at gaze, argent, armed, or.

Supporters.] Two gryphons, argent.

Motto.] *Penſes a Bien.*

Chief Seats.] At Kirkby Mallory, in Leiceſterſhire; Saville-Row, London.

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8. WILLOUGHBY, LORD WILLOUGHBY OF PARHAM.

THE Right Hon. HUGH WILLOUGHBY, Lord WILLOUGHBY of Parham, in Suffolk, preſident of the ſociety of Antiquaries, and F. R. S. ſucceeded his father Charles, the late Lord, June 12, 1715.

Charles, the late Lord Willoughby of Parham, father of the preſent Lord, married Heſter, youngeſt daughter of Henry Davenport in Lancaſhire, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue, the preſent Lord, and a daughter named Hellen.

This noble family is deſcended from Sir John de Willoughby, a Norman knight, who attending William the Conqueror into England, had the Lordſhip of Willoughby in Lancaſhire conferred on him.

Sir John Willoughby, another of the anceſtors of this noble Lord, attended king Edward III. in his wars in France, and was in the battle of Poitiers, where John,

John the French king, was taken priſoner in 1356.

Arms.] Or, frette, azure.

Creſt.] On a wreath, the head and buſt of a ſaracen couped, and affronte, proper, crowned ducally.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, an oſtrich, argent, beaked and membered, or, and in its beak an horſeſhoe, or; on the ſiniſter, a ſavage wreathed about the temples and loins with wild ivy, proper.

Motto.]

Chief Seats.] At Shaw-place and Worſley in the county of Lancaſter; Craven-ſtreet, London.

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9. CAREY, LORD HUNSDON.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM-FERDINAND CAREY, Baron of Hunſdon, ſucceeded Robert, Lord Hunſdon, in 1702; but reſiding in Holland, did not take his ſeat in the houſe of Peers till March 1707-8. His Lordſhip in Jan. 1717-18, married Grace, daughter to Sir Edward Waldo, knight; but by her had no iſſue.

His Lordſhip, who is the eighth Lord Hunſdon, is the ſon of William Carey, and grandſon of Ferdinand Carey, who was a colonel in the ſervice of the States-General, and died in the bed of honour at the ſiege of Maeſtricht.

This noble Lord is deſcended from Adam de Kerrey or Carey, Lord of Caſtle-Kerrey in Somerſetſhire, who flouriſhed in the reign of king Edward I.

Henry Carey, Eſq; another of his lordſhip's anceſtors, was nearly allied to Queen Elizabeth, and much confided in by her, who advanced him to the title of Baron Hunſdon, in the firſt year of her reign, and ſettled four thouſand pounds *per Ann.* upon him, having ſpent great part of his own eſtate in her ſervice before ſhe came to the crown.

She made him governor of Berwick in the tenth year

year of her reign; during which command, he made ſeveral incurſions into Scotland, and ſubdued the rebels commanded by Lord Dacres, who had formed a deſign of ſetting the Queen of Scots at liberty; whereupon the Queen made him general of the marches of Scotland, and lord chamberlain of her houſhold; and in the year of the Spaniſh invaſion, 1588, he commanded an army of 34000 foot and 2000 horſe, appointed for the ſafety of the Queen's perſon.

Arms.] Argent, on a bend, ſable, three roſes of the field, barbed and ſeeded, proper.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a ſwan with wings expanded, argent, beaked and membered, ſable.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a ram, argent, ſpotted gules and azure, armed, ducally gorged and chained, or; on the ſiniſter, a male gryphon of the firſt, his beak, fore legs, plain collar chained, and rays, or.

Motto.] *Comme je trouve.*

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10. ST. JOHN. LORD ST. JOHN OF BLETSOE.

THE Right Hon. JOHN ST. JOHN, Lord ST. JOHN of Bletſoe, and Baronet, ſucceeded his father John, the late Lord June 24, 1757; and Dec. 13, 1755, married Miſs Simond, daughter of Peter Simond, Eſq; merchant of London, by whom he had a daughter born Sept. 10, 1759.

John, the late Lord, married March 6, 1724-5, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Ambroſe Crawley, of Greenwich, in the county of Kent, knight, and by her has had iſſue, ſix ſons and ſix daughters, viz.

1. John, the preſent Lord, born Nov. 15, 1725.

2. Andrew, the ſecond ſon, born Dec. 23, 1726, who died in January following.

3. Mary, the eldeſt daughter, born Nov. 21, 1728; married Oct. 16, 1754, to Henry Drax, Eſq;

4. Ambroſe,

4. Ambroſe, born May 23, 1730, who died Dec. 13, 1740.

5. St. Andrew, born Jan. 17, 1731-2.

6. Elizabeth, born Dec. 12, 1733.

7. Jane, born July 19, 1735.

8. Barbara, born Sept. 19, 1737.

9. Anne, born Jan. 31, 1738 9.

10. Henry, born June 1, 1740.

11. Lettice, born Dec. 7. 1741; and,

12. Ambroſe, born October 17, 1743.

St. Andrew, the ſeventh Lord, grandfather of the preſent baron, had eight ſons and ſeven daughters.

1. Mary, married to the Rev. William Foſter.

2. Elizabeth, married to John Liveſay, of Berks, Eſq;

3. Jane.

4. Barbara.

5. Jane.

6. Anne, all died in their infancy.

7. Elizabeth, married to John Lucy of Hennick in the county of Bedford, Eſq;

8. Oliver, the eldeſt, died unmarried.

9. St. Andrew, who had a poſthumous ſon, named St. Andrew, and on whom devolved the title of Lord St. John of Bletſoe, as ſucceſſor to Paulet, Earl of Bolingbroke; but he died in May, 1714, about two years of age, and the title devolved on,

10. William his uncle; which William dying in Oct. 1720, unmarried, was ſucceded by

11. Rowland, and he dying in July, 1722, unmarried, the honour came to,

12. John, father of the preſent Lord, his next brother.

13. Paulet.

14. Beauchamp.

15. Henry, who died unmarried.

This is the eldeſt branch of the ancient family of St. John, of Stanton St. John, in the county of Oxford.

Arms.]

Arms.] Argent on a chief, gules, two mullets pierced, or.

Creſt.] On a mount, vert, a falcon riſing, belled, or, and ducally gorged, gules.

Supporters.] Two monkies, proper.

Motto.] *Data fata ſecutus.*

Chief Seats.] At Melchburn in Bedfordſhire; Woodford in the county of Northampton; and Thriftſtreet, Soho.

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11. PETRE, LORD PETRE.

THE Right Hon. ROBERT EDWARD PETRE, Baron Petre of Writtle, ſucceeded Robert-James, the late lord his father, in honour and eſtate, in July 1742.

Robert-James, Lord Petre, father of the preſent lord, was born June 3, 1713; and married May 2, 1732, the daughter of James, late Earl of Derwentwater, by which lady, who died March 31, 1760, he had iſſue, Robert-Edward, his Son, now Lord Petre, and three daughters.

Robert, Lord Petre, grandfather of the preſent lord, married, March 1, 1711-12, Catherine, daughter of Bartholomew Walmeſley, in Lancaſhire, Eſq; and died March 22, 1712-13, leaving his lady then with child, who was brought to bed of a ſon, named Robert, the late Lord Petre, which lady in April 1733, was married again to the Right Hon. Charles Lord Struton.

This noble lord is deſcended from Sir William Petre, who was of the privy-council, and principal ſecretary of ſtate in the reigns of king Henry VIII. king Edward VI. Queen Mary, and Queen Elizabeth; and he negotiated the marriage between Queen Mary and Philip II. of Spain; and was ſeven times ſent ambaſſador to foreign princes.

Arms.] Gules, a bend, or, between two eſcallop ſhells, argent.

Creſt.

Creſt.] On a wreath, two lions heads eraſed and indorſed, the firſt, or, the other, azure, each gorged with a plain collar counter-changed.

Supporters.] According to Lilly, on the right ſide a lion reguardant, azure, collared, or; on the left ſide a lion reguardant, or, collared, azure.

Motto.] *Sans Dieu rien.*

Chief Seats.] At Thorndon, Ingarſton, and Writtle-park, all in the county of Eſſex; at Dunkelagh, in the county of Lancaſter; and Brook-ſtreet, London.

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12. ARUNDEL, LORD ARUNDEL of WARDOUR.

THE Right Hon. HENRY ARUNDEL, Lord ARUNDEL of Wardour, and Count of the ſacred Roman empire, born March 31, 1740, ſucceeded his father Henry, the late lord, who died Sept. 21, 1756.

Henry, the late lord, born Oct. 4, 1717, married Mary, daughter of Richard Beeling Arundel, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue, Henry, the preſent lord, and Thomas, who married May 19, 1760, Miſs Mary Porter.

Henry, Lord Arundel of Wardour, grand-father of the preſent lord, was born Feb. 16, 1693, and ſucceeded to the honour on the death of his father, June 29, 1726. His lordſhip married Eleanor Elizabeth, daughter of the baron Everard, of Leige, by whom he had iſſue, beſides the late lord, two ſons, Thomas and James-Everard.

He married, after the death of his firſt lady, Anne, Daughter of William Herbert, late Marquis of Powis, by whom he had no iſſue. She died on the 8th of March, 1747-8.

This noble lord is deſcended from Roger de Arundel, who came over to England with William the Conqueror, Anno 1066, who rewarded his ſervice with

with twenty-eight manors in Somerſetſhire, taken from the Engliſh.

Thomas, another of this Lord's anceſtors, was made a count of the empire, by the emperor Rodolph, in conſideration of his ſervices againſt the Turks.

Arms.] Sable, ſix ſwallows, three, two, and one, argent.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a wolf paſſant, argent.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a lion guardant, erminois, viz. yellow powdered with black, ducally crowned, or. On the ſiniſter, an owl, argent; with wings diſcloſed, or; crowned as the dexter.

Motto.] *Deo Data.*

Chief Seat.] At Wardour-Caſtle, in Wiltſhire.

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13. BLIGH, LORD CLIFTON.

THE Right Hon. JOHN BLIGH, Lord CLIFTON, Baron Clifton of Leighton Bromſwold, in England, Earl and Viſcount Darnley, and Baron Clifton of Rathmore in Ireland, ſucceeded his brother Edward, the late lord, in 1747, and is yet unmarried.

John Bligh, Lord Clifton, father of the preſent lord, was created Baron Clifton of Rathmore, in the county of Meath, the 1ſt of Auguſt, 1722; and, on the 5th of February following, Viſcount Darnley of Athboy in the ſame county; alſo on the 1ſt of June, 1725, Earl of Darnley in Ireland, and died Sept. 12, 1728, aged 41, having married Theodoſia Hyde, then only daughter and heir of Edward, Earl of Clarendon, who died July 30, 1722, leaving iſſue, two ſons and three daughters, viz.

1. Edward the late lord, who died in Auguſt 1747, unmarried,

2. John, the preſent lord.

3. Lady Mary, married to William Tighe, Eſq;

4. Anne, who married to Edward Ward, Eſq;

5. Theo-

5. Theodoſia, married to William Croſbie, Eſq;

The great grand-father of this noble lord, who lived in London, going over to Ireland, in the time of Oliver Cromwell, as an agent to the adventurers there, acquired a good eſtate, and laid the foundation for the grandeur of this family.

Arms.] Azure, a gryphon ſegreant, or; armed and langued, gules; between three creſcents, argent.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a gryphon's head eraſed, or.

Supporters. Two Gryphons, with wings expanded, or; each having a Ducal Collar and chain, azure.

Motto.] *Finem reſpice.*

Chief Seats.] At Rathmore, in the county of Meath, in Ireland; Cobham-hall, in Kent; and Berkley-ſquare, London.

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14. DORMER, LORD DORMER.

THE Right Hon. CHARLES DORMER, LORD DORMER of Wenge, and Baronet, ſucceeded Charles, the late Lord Dormer, his father, July 2, 1728, and is yet unmarried.

Charles, Lord Dormer, father of the preſent lord, ſucceeded to the title on the death of Rowland, Lord Dormer. He married to his firſt wife, Catherine, daughter of —— Fettyplace, in the county of Oxford, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue, two ſons, viz.

1. Charles the preſent lord. And,

2. John Dormer, Eſq; who married Mary Biſhop, daughter of Sir Cecil Biſhop, of Parham, in the county of Suſſex, Bart. by whom he had iſſue, eight children, whereof Charles, eldeſt ſon, married to Lady Mary Talbot, ſiſter to the right Hon. George Talbot, Earl of Shrewſbury; and Elizabeth, married Nov. 21, 1753, to the ſaid Earl.

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The ſaid Charles, late Lord Dormer, married ſecondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Bidulph, of the county of Stafford, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue, fourteen children, of which four ſons and four daughters are living, viz.

1. William, unmarried.
2. Robert,
3. Joſeph, and,
4. Francis, who are all three unmarried.
5. Anne, and,
6. Elizabeth, both unmarried.
7. Frances, third ſurviving daughter, married in 1726, to William Plowden, Eſq; by whom ſhe had fifteen children, of which twelve are living.
8. Mary, the youngeſt ſurviving daughter, is yet unmarried.

This noble lord is deſcended from the Dormers of Weſt-Wiccomb, in Buckinghamſhire; of which family was Sir Michael Dormer, lord mayor of London, in 1541, 21 Henry VIII.

Arms.] Azure, ten billets, four, three, two, and one, or; on a chief of the ſecond, a demi-lion rampant, naiſſant, ſable.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a right-hand glove, proper; ſurmounted by a falcon, argent.

Supporters.] Two falcons, argent; armed, membered, and belled, or.

Motto.]

Chief Seats.] At Peterly, in the county of Bucks; Edſworth, in the county of Hants.

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15. ROPER, LORD TEYNHAM.

THE Right Hon. HENRY ROPER, Lord TEYNHAM, ſucceeded his brother Philip in his honour and eſtate, June 1, 1727. He married in July, 1733, ——— daughter of Edmund Powel, of Sandford, in Oxfordſhire, Eſq; by whom he has had iſſue,

1. An-

1. Anthony, born March 12, 1741, who died July 20, the ſame year.

2. Mary Catherine, born Dec. 24, 1742.

3. Winifred, born Dec. 5, 1743.

4. Chriſtopher, who died Sept. 15, 1747. And,

5. Thomas, born Feb. 3, 1744-5.

Henry, Lord Teynham, father of the late, and preſent lord, married Catherine, daughter of Philip Smith, Lord Viſcount Strangford in Ireland, by which lady, who died April 16, 1711, he had two ſons,

1. Philip, who ſucceeded him; but died in June, 1727, in the 19th year of his age.

2. Henry, the preſent lord. And,

3. Elizabeth, married to John Webb, Eſq; and died Nov. 14, 1736. His Lordſhip married to his ſecond lady, Mary, ſiſter to Sir William Gage, of Furle in Suſſex, Bart. but by her had no iſſue. He married, thirdly, Lady Anne, late Baroneſs Dacre, ſecond daughter of Thomas Lennard, Earl of Suſſex, and widow of Richard Lennard, of Woodhouſe, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue, two ſons and one daughter, viz.

1. Charles, who died in 1755, having married Miſs Trevor, by whom he left ſeveral children.

2. Henry, a clergyman. He married the daughter of William Chetwin, Eſq;

3. Anne.

This noble lord is deſcended from the Ropers of Canterbury, who flouriſhed in the reign of King Edward III.

Arms.] Party-per-feſs, azure and or, a pale, and three roe-buck's heads erazed, counterchanged.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a lion rampant, ſable; holding a ducal coronet between his paws, or.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a buck, or. On the ſiniſter, a tyger reguardant, argent.

Motto.] *Spes mea in Deo.*

Chief Seats.] At Linſted-Lodge, in the county of Kent; and Brook-ſtreet, London.

16 MAYNARD, LORD MAYNARD.

THE Right Hon. CHARLES MAYNARD, Lord MAYNARD of Eſtaynes Parva, and Baron Maynard, Baron Maynard of Wickloe, in Ireland, and baronet, ſucceeded his brother Grey, late Lord Maynard, in April 1745, and is yet unmarried.

Banaſter, Lord Maynard, father of the preſent lord, married the lady Elizabeth Grey, daughter to Henry, late Earl of Kent, and by her, who died on the 23d of September, 1714, had iſſue, eight ſons and three daughters, viz.

1. William, who died before his father, in the 50th year of his age, in 1716-17, unmarried.

2. Banaſter, ſecond ſon, died young.

3. Henry, third ſon, ſucceeded his father, in March, 1718-19, and died unmarried, Dec. 9, 1742.

4. Banaſter.

5. Anthony, and,

6. Robert, who all died young.

7. Grey, who ſucceeded his brother Henry, in Dec. 1742; died in April, 1745, unmarried.

8. Charles, the preſent lord.

9. Amabella, the eldeſt daughter, married Sir William Lowther, of Swillington in the county of York, Bart.

10. Dorothy, who married Robert Heſilridge, Eſq;

11. Elizabeth.

This noble lord is deſcended from——Maynard, who came over with William the Conqueror, and whoſe name is inſerted in the roll among thoſe who were in the conqueror's army at the battle of Haſtings.

Arms.] Argent, a chevron, azure, between three ſiniſter hands erect, couped at the wriſt, gules.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a ſtag trippant, or.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a ſtag, proper. On the ſiniſter, a talbot, argent; pyed, ſable; and gorged with a plain collar, gules. *Motto.*]

Motto.] *Manus juſta nardus.*

Chief Seats.] At Eaſton-Parva, in the county of Eſſex; Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

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17. MURRAY, LORD STRANGE.

THE Moſt noble JAMES MURRAY, Lord STRANGE, of Knockyn in England, Duke of Athol in Scotland, and lord of the Iſle of Man. His grace took his place as Lord Strange, in the houſe of Peers, in March, 1736-7.

The Barony of Strange devolved on his grace James Murray, on the death of James Stanley, Earl of Derby, as great-grandſon and heir of James, Lord Strange, ſon and heir of John Duke of Athol, ſon and heir of John Marquis of Athol, by the Lady Amelia Sophia, daughter of James, Lord Strange.

[*An account of the family of this noble lord may be ſeen in the ſecond volume, among the peers of Scotland, under the title of Duke of Athol.*]

Arms.] Quarterly, 1ſt and 4th, azure; three mullets, argent; within a double treſſure, flowered and counter-flowered, or; 2d and 3d, quarterly, viz. 1ſt and 4th, paly of 6, ſable and or; 2d and 3d, or; a feſs cheque, azure and argent.

Creſt.] A demi-ſavage, holding in his dexter hand a key, or; and in his ſiniſter a dagger, proper.

Motto.] *Furth fortune, and fill the fetters.*

Supporters.] On the dexter, a lion rampant, argent; collared, azure; charged with three mullets, argent; on the ſiniſter, a ſavage, proper, wreathed about the loins with laurel.

Chief Seats.] Blair-Caſtle, and Dunkeld in Perthſhire; Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

18. LEIGH, LORD LEIGH.

THE Right Hon. EDWARD LEIGH, Lord LEIGH, of Stoneley, and Baronet, born the 1ſt of March, 1742, ſucceeded Thomas, late Lord Leigh, his father, Nov. 30, 1749.

Thomas, late Lord Leigh, father of the preſent lord, ſucceeded Edward, Lord Leigh, his father, in 1737-8. His lordſhip married Maria-Rebecca, daughter of by whom he had iſſue, three ſons and one daughter, viz.

1. Thomas, who died young.
2. Thomas, who died in 1741.
3. Edward, the preſent Lord Leigh.
4. Mary.

The ſaid Maria-Rebecca, his wife, dying Dec. 9, 1746, he married to his ſecond lady, in Dec. 1747, Catherine, daughter of Rowland Berkeley, of Cotheridge, in the county of Worceſter, Eſq; by whom he left iſſue, one daughter, Anne, born Oct. 28, 1748.

This family took their name from the town of High-Leigh in Cheſhire, where they reſided before the Norman conqueſt.

Arms.] Gules, a croſs ingrailed, argent, a lozenge in the dexter chief of the ſecond.

Creſt.] On a wreath, an unicorn's head eraſed, argent; armed and mained, or.

Supporters.] Two unicorns, argent; armed and mained, or.

Chief Seats.] At Stoneley-abby, in Warwickſhire; and at Fleathamſtead, in the ſame county.

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19. BYRON, LORD BYRON.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM BYRON, Lord BYRON, of Rochdale, born Nov. 5, 1722, ſucceeded William, late Lord Byron, his father, Aug. 8,

1736, married March 28, 1747, Elizabeth, only daughter and ſole heireſs of Charles Shaw, Eſq; of the county of Norfolk, by whom he had iſſue, two ſons, William, born June 7, 1748, who died the May following, and William, his ſecond ſon, born Oct. 27, 1749, and two daughters, the eldeſt of which died June 1, 1760.

William, Lord Byron, father of the preſent lord, born Jan. 4, 1669, married the Lady Mary, ſiſter to Scroop, late Duke of Bridgewater, which lady died April 11, 1703, and his lordſhip married again Dec. 19, 1706, the Lady Frances-Wilhelmina, third daughter of William Bentinck, Earl of Portland, by whom he had iſſue, three ſons and one daughter.

1. George, born Oct. 1, 1707, and died July 6, 1720.

2. William, born July 6, 1709, and died a few days after.

3. William-Henry, born Oct. 23, 1710, died ſoon after. And,

4. Frances, born Aug. 10, 1711, and died Sept. 21, 1724.

Which Frances-Wilhelmina, Lady Byron, dying March 31, 1712, his lordſhip in 1720 married Frances, ſecond daughter of William, late Lord Berkley, of Stratton, by whom he had iſſue, one daughter and five ſons.

1. Iſabella, born Nov. 10, 1721, married in 1742, to the Earl of Carliſle.

2. William, the preſent Lord Byron.

3. John, born Nov. 8, 1723, married to Miſs Trevanion.

4. Richard, born Oct. 28, 1734, ſtudent of Chriſt's church, in Oxford.

5. Charles, born April 6, 1726, who died May 16, 1731.

6. George, born April 22, 1730.

Which William, Lord Byron, their father died Aug. 8, 1736, and his lady is ſince married to Sir Thomas Hay, Bart.

From Doomſday-book it appears, that this family were poſſeſſed of numerous manors and lands in the reign of the conqueror; and that Sir John Byron, one of his lordſhip's anceſtors, attended King Edward III. in his wars in France.

Sir John Byron, another of this lord's anceſtors, was a great ſoldier, and performed many ſignal actions in the civil wars, in defence of king Charles I. to whom he continued faithful to the laſt.

Arms.] Argent, three bendlets enhanſed, gules.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a mermaid, with her comb and mirrour, all proper.

Supporters.] Two horſes cheſnut.

Motto.] *Crede Biron.*

Chief Seats.] At Linby, Newſtead Abbey, and Bullwell park, in Nottinghamſhire; Great Marlborough-ſtreet, London.

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20 WARD, LORD WARD.

THE Right Hon. JOHN WARD, Lord WARD, Baron of Birmingham, and recorder of the city of Worceſter, born in March, 1704, ſucceeded William, the late Lord Dudley and Ward, in the barony of Birmingham, in May, 1740, and on Dec. 26, 1723, he married Anna Maria, daughter of Charles Bourchier, Eſq; by whom he has one ſon named John, born in 1724; and ſhe dying Dec. 12, 1725, his Lordſhip married, in Jan. 1744-5, Miſs Mary Carver, daughter of John Carver, Eſq; by whom he has iſſue William, born Jan. 21, 1750.

William Ward, Eſq; father of the preſent lord, married Mary, daughter of John Grey, of Enfield-hall in Staffordſhire, Eſq; third ſon of Henry the firſt Earl of Stamford, by whom he left iſſue two ſons and two daughters:

1. John, the preſent Lord Ward.

2. The

2. The Rev. Mr. William Ward, rector of King's Swinford and Himley, deceaſed.

3. Frances, married to George Rook, of St. Laurence, in Kent, Eſq; who is ſince dead. And,

4. Anne, unmarried.

The anceſtors of this noble lord were antiently of the county of Norfolk, of which was Simon Ward, who had large poſſeſſions in the reign of Edward I. and was in France and Scotland in the reigns of king Edward II. III.

Arms.] Chequey, or and azure, a bend ermine.

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, or, a lion's head azure.

Supporters.] Two angels haired and winged, or, their under robes ſanguine, and their uppermoſt azure.

Motto.] *Comme je fus.*

Chief Seats.] At Dudley-caſtle, Himley-hall, and Sedgeley-park, in Staffordſhire; Upper Brook-ſtreet, London.

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21. LANGDALE, LORD LANGDLE.

THE Right Hon. MARMADUKE LANGDALE, Lord LANGDALE, ſucceeded his father, the late lord, Dec. 12, 1718, married Elizabeth, youngeſt daughter of William Lord Widdrington, and by her has iſſue one ſon and two daughters:

1. Marmaduke, his heir apparent, married to Conſtantia, daughter of the late Sir John Smyth of Acton Burnel, in Shropſhire, Bart, by whom he has iſſue two daughters, Conſtantia and Elizabeth.

2. Dorothy, married to Sir Walter Vavaſour, of Haſſewood, in Yorkſhire, Bart. And,

3. Elizabeth, unmarried.

Marmaduke, late Lord Langdale, father of the preſent lord, married Frances, daughter of Richard Draycotte, of Paineſly in Yorkſhire, Eſq; by whom

he had iſſue one ſon, the preſent Lord Langdale, and two daughters, viz. Elizabeth, married to Peter Middleton of Stockley in Yorkſhire, Eſq; and Frances, married to Nicholas Blundel, of Croſby in Lancaſter, Eſq;

This noble lord is deſcended from the Langdales of Yorkſhire, who reſided at the town of Langdale (from whence they took their name) in the reign of King John; but his anceſtor, who makes the greateſt figure in hiſtory, is Sir Marmaduke Langdale, who raiſed forces in the north of England, in defence of King Charles I. was victorious in numberleſs battles and ſieges; and when his majeſty, by the united forces of England and Scotland, was at length overpowered, he attended King Charles II. in his exile, and returned to England with his majeſty at the reſtoration.

Arms.] Sable, a chevron between three eſtoils, argent.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a ſtar, argent.

Supporters.] Two bulls, ſable, armed, creſted, and ungulled, argent.

Motto.] *Poſt tenebras lucem.*

Chief Seats.] At Holme in Spaldingmore, and Dalton, both in Yorkſhire; Golden-Square, London.

22. BERKLEY, LORD BERKLEY of STRATTON.

THE Right Hon. JOHN BERKLEY, Lord BERKLEY of Stratton, one of the Lords of his Majeſty's privy council, and Captain of his Majeſty's band of gentlemen penſioners, March 24, 1701, ſucceeded the late William Lord Berkley, whoſe father, Sir John Berkley, was by King Charles II. created Lord Berkley, of Stratton, in 1658.

The late William Lord Berkley, married Frances, youngeſt daughter of Sir John Temple, of Eaſt-Sheen, in

in Surry, Knt. by whom he had iſſue three ſons, and four daughters, viz.

1. John, the preſent lord.

2. William, who died March 25, 1733.

3. Charles, who married in 1745, Frances, daughter of Col. John Weſt, by whom he has two daughters, Frances, Jane, and Sophia; and a ſon, Maurice John.

4. Jane, who died in 1744.

5. Frances, married in 1720, to William late Lord Byron. *See* Byron *Lord.*

6. Barbara, married March 29, 1726, to John Trevanion, Eſq; and,

7. Anne, married in May 1737, to James Cocks, Eſq;

This noble lord is deſcended from Sir Maurice Berkley, ſecond ſon of Lord Berkley, of Berkley-caſtle, who flouriſhed in the reign of King Edward II. and king Edward III. and was celebrated for his valour and conduct in the wars of Scotland and France.

This family were eminent alſo for their ſervices to King Charles I. and King Charles II. during the civil war, and at the reſtoration.

Arms.] Gules, a chevron, ermine between ten croſſes pattee, argent.

Creſt.] On a wreath, an unicorn paſſant, gules.

Supporters.] Two Savages, with clubs over their ſhoulders, and wreathed about their temples and loins with ivy.

Motto.] *Pauca ſuſpexi pauciora deſpexi.*

Chief Seats.] At Abby-Bruton in Somerſetſhire, and Berkley ſquare, London.

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23. ARUNDEL, LORD ARUNDEL OF TRERISE.

THE Right Hon. JOHN ARUNDEL, Lord ARUNDEL, of Trerife, born Nov. 21, 1701, ſucceeded his father John, the late lord, Sept. 24, 1706, and

married Elizabeth, ſiſter to Thomas Wentworth, late Earl of Strafford, by whom he has no iſſue.

John Lord Arundel, father of the preſent lord, married Jane, daughter of Dr. William Beaw, lord biſhop of Landaff, and dying Sept. 24, 1706, was ſucceeded by his only ſon John, the preſent Lord Arundel.

John Lord Arundel, grandfather to the preſent lord, married Margaret, daughter and ſole heir of Sir John Ackland, of Devonſhire, knight, by whom he had iſſue,

1. John, the late Lord Arundel.

2. Gertrude, married to Sir John Bennet, of Hoſkins in Hertfordſhire, Bart.

He married to his ſecond wife Barbara, daughter to Sir Henry Slingſby of the county of York, Bart. by whom he had iſſue one ſon Richard, next heir to the preſent lord, who married in September, 1732, the Lady Frances Manners, ſiſter of his Grace John Duke of Rutland, by whom he had no iſſue.

This family came into England with William the Conqueror; and at the time of the general ſurvey, in the twentieth year of that reign, were poſſeſſed of twenty-eight lordſhips in Somerſetſhire.

John Arundel, of Trerife, one of his lordſhip's anceſtors, took up arms in defence of King Charles I. with four of his ſons, and two of them loſt their lives in his majeſty's ſervice.

Arms.] Quarterly, 1ſt and 4th, ſable; ſix ſwallows cloſe, 3, 2, and 1, argent; 2d and 3d, ſable, three chevronels of the ſecond.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules, turned up ermine a ſwallow, argent.

Supporters.] Two panthers guardant, or, ſpotted of various colours, incenſed proper, i. e. with fire iſſuing out of their mouths and ears.

Motto.] *Nulli præda.*

Chief Seat.] At Trerife in Cornwall.

25. CRA-

24. CRAVEN, LORD CRAVEN.

THE Right Hon. FULWAR CRAVEN, Lord CRAVEN, ſucceeded his brother William, late Lord Craven, in his honour and eſtate, in Aug. 1739, and is yet unmarried.

William Craven, Lord Craven, father of the late and preſent Lord, was born Oct. 4, 1668, and married Elizabeth, daughter of Humberſton Skipwith, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue, three ſons,

1. William, late Lord Craven.
2. Fulwar, the preſent Lord. And,
3. Robert, who died unmarried.

His Lorſhip died Oct. 9, 1711, and was ſucceeded by William, his eldeſt ſon, who married Anne, daughter to Frederick Tilney, of Rotherwick, by whom he had iſſue, one daughter, who died Nov. 21, 1725.

This noble Lord is deſcended from John Craven, of Appletreewick, in the county of York, who flouriſhed in the reigns of Henry VII. and Henry VIII.

Arms.] Argent, a feſs between ſix croſs croſlets, fitchy, gules.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules, turned up, ermine, a gryphon of the ſecond beaked, or.

Supporters.] Two gryphons, ermine.

Motto.] *Virtus in actione conſiſtit.*

Chief Seats.] At Comb-Abbey, in Warwickſhire; Hampſted-Marſhal, in the county of Berks; George-ſtreet, London.

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25. CLIFFORD, LORD CLIFFORD.

THE Right Hon. HUGH CLIFFORD, Lord CLIFFORD, of Chudleigh, born Sept. 29, 1726, ſucceeded Hugh his father, late Lord Clifford, March 26, 1732; and married Lady Anne Lee, daughter of

George-Henry Lee, late Earl of Litchfield, Dec. 17. 1749, by whom he has iſſue.

Hugh, Lord Clifford, father of the preſent Lord, born in 1700, married Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Blount, in the county of Devon, ſiſter to the Dutcheſs of Norfolk, by whom he had iſſue, four ſons and two daughters, viz.

1. Hugh, the preſent Lord.
2. Edward.
3. Henry, who died an infant.
4. Thomas, born after his father's deceaſe, Auguſt 22, 1732.
5. Elizabeth, who died an infant. And,
6. Mary.

This noble Lord is deſcended from Walter de Clifford, of Clifford-caſtle in the county of Hereford, who came over into England with the Conqueror; of which family was fair Roſamond, miſtreſs to King Henry II.

Sir Thomas Clifford, who was created Baron Clifford of Chudleigh, in the 24th of King Charles II. was conſtitured lord high treaſurer of England the ſame year.

Arms.] Cheque, or and azure; a feſs, gules, a creſcent for difference.

Creſt.] Out of a ducal coronet, or, a wyvern riſing, gules.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a wyvern with wings expanded, azure; on the ſiniſter, a monkey, proper, invironed about the loins, and chained, or.

Motto.] *Semper paratus.*

Chief Seats.] At Ugbrook, near Chudleigh in Devonſhire; at Cannington, near Bridgwater, in the county of Somerſet; Jermyn-ſtreet, London.

26. BOYLE, BARON BOYLE.

THE Right Hon. John Boyle, Baron Boyle of Marſton, and Earl of Corke and Orrery in Ireland, born Jan. 2, 1706-7, ſucceeded Charles, his father, late Earl of Orrery, in 1731. His lordſhip married, May 9, 1728, the Lady Harriot Hamilton, daughter to George, Earl of Orkney, by which Lady, who died in 1739, he had iſſue two ſons and one daughter, viz.

1. Charles, Lord Boyle, born Jan. 27, 1728-9, who in 1753, married Suſannah, daughter of Henry Hoar, of Stourhead in Wiltſhire, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue one ſon, born in 1754, but died the year following; alſo a daughter, Henrietta, now living. His Lordſhip died Sept. 16, 1759.

2. Hamilton Boyle, born Feb. 3, 1729-30.

3. Lady Elizabeth, who married Thomas Worſley, Eſq; ſon of Sir James Worſley, Bart. of Pitewell, in Hampſhire.

He married to his ſecond wife Mrs. Margaret Hamilton, daughter of John Hamilton, Eſq; of Caledon in the county of Tyrone in Ireland, in June 1738, by whom he has iſſue living,

1. Edmund, born Nov. 21, 1742. And,

2. Lady Lucy.

Charles, Earl of Orrery, father of the preſent Earl, was created Baron Boyle, of Marſton, in the county of Somerſet, Sept. 10, 1711. He married Elizabeth Cecil, daughter to John, Earl of Exeter, grandfather of the preſent Earl; which Lady died a few years after her marriage, leaving iſſue by him, an only ſon, John, the preſent Earl of Orrery.

The machine called the Orrery, invented by the late Earl Charles, will perpetuate his memory to the lateſt poſterity.

[*A more particular account of this noble family, the Reader will meet with under the title of Earl of* Corke *and* Orrery *in the third Volume of this work, among the Peers of Ireland.*]

Arms.] Party-per-bend crenelle, argent and gules, creſent for difference.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a lion's head erazed, party-per-pale crenelle, argent and gules.

Supporters.] Two lions party-per-pale; the dexter gules and argent; the ſiniſter of the ſecond and firſt.

Motto.] *Honor virtutis præmium.*

Chief Seats.] At Marſton, in the county of Somerſet; at Caledon, in the county of Tyrone in Ireland; Great George-ſtreet, London.

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27. HAY, LORD HAY.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS HAY, Lord HAY of Pedwardin, Viſcount Dupplin, and Earl of Kinnoul in Scotland, one of his Majeſty's privy-council, chancellor of the dutchy of Lancaſter, and his Majeſty's ambaſſador extraordinary and plenipotentiary to the court of Portugal, ſucceeded his father George-Henry, the late Earl, July 29, 1758, and married May 12, 1741, to Miſs Arnley, of Wiltſhire, who died in June 1753, leaving no iſſue.

The Earls of Kinnoul, who have reſided for many generations in Perthſhire, in North-Britain, were anceſtors of this noble Lord.

[*A particular account of this noble family, the Reader will meet with, in the ſecond Volume of this work, under the title of Earl of* Kinnoul, *among the Peers of Scotland.*]

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, azure, an unicorn ſaliant, argent; armed, creſted, and unguled, or; within a bordure, or; charged with eight thiſtles, proper; and as many demi-roſes, gules; leaved, barbed,

barbed, and ſeeded, proper; conjoined upon one ſtem, ſecond and third argent; three eſcutcheons, gules.

Creſt.] On a wreath, an husbandman couped at the knees, habited in dark grey, with ruſſet breeches, a red waiſtcoat, and a Highland bonnet, azure; holding over his right-ſhoulder a double ox-yoke, proper.

Supporters.] Two husbandmen, habited as the creſt, their ſtockings ruſſet, and ſhoes brown; the dexter bearing over his ſhoulder the culture of a plough; and the ſiniſter, the plough-paddle, all proper.

Motto.] *Renovate animos.*

Chief Seats.] At Brodeſworth, in Yorkſhire; at Duplin-Houſe, in Scotland; and Whitehall, London.

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28. WILLOUGHBY, LORD MIDDLETON.

THE Right Hon. FRANCIS WILLOUGHBY, Lord MIDDLETON, of Middleton, and Baronet, ſucceeded his father Francis, the late Lord, Aug. 4, 1758. Francis, the late Lord ſucceeded his father Thomas, April 2, 1729, and married on the 25th of July 1723, Mary, ſecond daughter of Thomas Edwards, of the Middle-Temple, Eſq; by whom he has had iſſue,

1. Francis, the preſent Lord.
2. Thomas. And,
3. A daughter that died young.

Thomas, Lord Middleton, grandfather of the preſent Lord, was created Lord Middleton, Jan. 1, 1711. His Lordſhip married Elizabeth, daughter and coheir of Richard Rothwell, of Stapleford, Bart. by whom he had iſſue, four ſons, viz.

1. Francis, the late Lord.
2. Thomas Willoughby, Eſq; who married Elizabeth, ſole daughter and heir of Thomas Southby, in Yorkſhire, Eſq; who died in 1742, leaving iſſue, ſeveral children.
3. Rothwell, who is yet unmarried.

4. Henry, who died unmarried.

This noble Lord is deſcended from Sir Thomas Willoughby, lord chief juſtice of the Common-pleas in the reign of King Henry VIII.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, or; fretty, azure, for Willoughby of Parham and Eresby. Second and third, or, on two bars, gules, three water bougets, argent, for Willoughby of Middleton and Wollaton.

Creſt.] On a wreath, the buſt of a man, couped and affrontee, proper; crowned ducally, or.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a pilgrim, or grey-friar, in his habit, proper; with his beads, croſs, &c. and a ſtaff in his right-hand, or. On the ſiniſter, a ſavage with a club in his exterior hand, wreathed about the temples and middle with ivy, all proper; each ſupporter holding a banner, gules; fringed, or; enſigned with an owl, argent; crowned, ducally collared, and chained, or; the owl being the creſt of Willoughby of Middleton and Wollaton.

Motto.] *Verite ſans peur.*

Chief Seats.] At Wollaton-Hall, in Nottingham-ſhire; and at Middleton, in the county of Warwick.

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29. TREVOR, LORD TREVOR.

THE Right Hon. JOHN TREVOR, Lord TREVOR of Bromham, and F.R.S. ſucceeded his brother Thomas, late Lord Trevor, the 22d of March 1753, and married May 31, 1731, Elizabeth, daughter of that celebrated author, Sir Richard Steele, Knt. by whom he has now living an only daughter, Diana.

The late Lord married in 1730, Elizabeth, only daughter and heir of Timothy Burrel of Cuckfield, Eſq; and by her, who died in Aug. 1734, has one daughter, Elizabeth, married to his Grace Charles, late Duke of Marlborough. *See Duke of* Marlborough.

Thomas

Thomas Trevor, Lord Trevor, father of the late and preſent Lords, was created Lord Trevor of Bromham, Jan. 1, 1711. He married to his firſt wife Elizabeth, daughter and coheir of John Searle, of Finchley, in Middleſex, Eſq; by whom he had two ſons and three daughters, viz.

1. Thomas, late Lord Trevor.
2. John, the preſent Lord.
3. Anne.
4. Letitia, married to Peter Cock, of Camberwell, Eſq; and,
5. Elizabeth.

His Lordſhip married, ſecondly, Anne, daughter of Robert Weldon, Eſq; by whom he had three ſons,

1. Robert, who has taken the ſirname and arms of Hampden.
2. Richard Trevor, D. D. lord biſhop of Durham.
3. Edward, who died young.

He was made ſollicitor-general in the year 1692, and attorney-general in 1695; and in the reign of Queen Anne, was conſtituted lord chief-juſtice of the Common-pleas; in 1725, lord privy-ſeal; and in 1730, was made preſident of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy-council.

This noble Lord is deſcended from Rourd Wieduck, one of the moſt antient families of Wales, ſaid to have flouriſhed in the reign of King Arthur; but the firſt who had the name of Trevor, was Tudor Trevor, Earl of Hereford.

Arms.] Party-per-bend, ſiniſter, ermine and ermines, a lion rampant, or.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules; turned up, ermine; a wyvern riſing, ſable.

Supporters.] Two wyverns reguardant, ſable.

Chief Seats.] AtBromham, in Bedfordſhire; Mount-Pleaſant, near Barnet, in Middleſex; Peckham, in Surry; and Bond-ſtreet, London.

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30. MASHAM, LORD MASHAM.

THE Right Hon. SAMUEL MASHAM, Lord MASHAM and Baronet, remembrancer of his Majeſty's court of Exchequer, and auditor-general to the Prince of Wales, ſucceeded his father Samuel, the late Lord, Oct. 16, 1758, and in Oct. 1736, married Harriot, daughter of Sawley Winnington in the county of Worceſter, Eſq; by whom he has no iſſue.

Samuel, father of the preſent Lord, was created Lord Maſham of Oates, in the county of Eſſex, Jan. 1, 1711. He married Abigail, daughter to Francis Hill, a Turkey merchant; by which Lady, who died Sept. 6, 1734, he had iſſue, two daughters and three ſons. viz.

1. George, who died unmarried.
2. Samuel, the preſent Lord.
3. Francis, who died unmarried.
4. Anne, who married April 11, 1726, to Henry Hoar, Eſq; which Lady died March 4, 1727.
5. Elizabeth, youngeſt daughter, died on Oct. 25, 1724, in the fourteenth year of her age.

Sir Francis Maſham, Bart. father of the preſent Lord, married Mary, daughter of Sir William Scot, Bart. of Rouen in Normandy, by whom he had iſſue, eight ſons and one daughter. He married to his ſecond wife Damaris, daughter of Ralph Cudworth, D. D. and had iſſue, one ſon, Francis-Cudworth Maſham, who died May 17, 1731; and the ſaid Sir Francis, their father, died in March 1702-3, in the 77th year of his age.

This noble Lord is deſcended from Sir John Maſham, who flouriſhed in the reign of King Henry VI. and was buried at Thorneham, in the county of Suffolk, in 1455.

Arms.] Or, a feſs hemette, gules, between two lions paſſant, ſable.

Creſt.]

Creſt.] On a wreath, a gryphon's head couped, or, between two wings erect, gules.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a lion, ſable; on the ſiniſter, a leopard guardant, proper, each having an eaſtern crown, or.

Motto.] *Mihi juſſa capeſſere.*

Chief Seats.] At Oates-hall, in the county of Eſſex; and Burlington-ſtreet, London.

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31. FOLEY, LORD FOLEY.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS FOLEY, Lord FOLEY, of Kidderminſter, ſucceeded his father Thomas, the late Lord Foley, in his honour and eſtate, Jan. 22, 1732-3, and is yet unmarried.

Thomas Foley, Lord Foley, father of the preſent Lord, was by Queen Anne, created a peer of this realm, by the title of Lord Foley, Baron Foley of Kidderminſter, January 1, 1711. His Lordſhip married Mary, daughter and ſole heireſs of Thomas Strode, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue, four ſons and two daughters, of which Thomas, the preſent Lord, and Elizabeth, only are living.

He is deſcended from an ancient family in the county of Worceſter.

Arms.] Argent, a feſs, ingrailed between three cinquefoils, within a plain border, ſable.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a lion rampant, argent; holding between his paws an eſcutcheon of the arms of Foley.

Supporters.] Two lions, argent; ſemee of cinquefoils, ſable.

Motto.] *Ut proſim.*

Chief Seats.] At Whitley-Court, in the county of Worceſter; Hanover-ſquare, London.

32. BATHURST, LORD BATHURST.

THE Right Hon. ALLEN BATHURST, Baron Bathurſt of Battleſden, treaſurer to the Prince of Wales, was created Lord Bathurſt, Jan. 1, 1711. His Lordſhip married Catherine, daughter and heir of Sir Peter Apſley, by whom he hath iſſue, four ſons and five daughters, viz.

1. Benjamin, born Aug. 12, 1711, and married Nov. 26, 1732, Elizabeth, daughter of Charles, late Earl of Ailesbury; but by her has no iſſue.

2. Henry, a judge in the court of Common-pleas, who married Mrs. Philips.

3. John, deceaſed.

4. Allen, fellow of New-College, Oxford.

5. Frances, married Aug. 5, 1731, to William Woodhouſe, Eſq; who died in March 1735. She married, ſecondly, to James Whitſhed, of the kingdom of Ireland, Eſq; by whom ſhe has no iſſue.

6. Catherine, married in 1737, to Henry Courtney, Eſq;

7. Jane, the third daughter, married in April 1744, James Buller, member of parliament for the county of Cornwall.

8. Leonora, married in 1752, to colonel Urmſton.

9. Anne, married in 1752, to the Rev. Mr. Benſon.

Sir Benjamin Bathurſt, father of the preſent Lord, married Frances, daughter of Sir Allen Apſley, Knt. by whom he had iſſue, three ſons and one daughter, viz.

1. Allen, the eldeſt ſon, the preſent Lord.

2. Peter, the ſecond ſon, married to Miſs How, daughter and heir of Charles How, of Gritworth, in the county of Northampton, Eſq; and ſhe dying, he married to his ſecond wife the Lady Selina Shirley, eldeſt daughter of Robert, Earl Ferrers, by his ſecond wife.

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3. Benjamin Bathurſt, Eſq; the youngeſt ſon, married the daughter and coheir of — Poole, of Kemble, in Wiltſhire, who died in child-bed, 1737-8, having had twenty-one children, whereof ſeven ſurvived her. He married, 1742, to his ſecond wife, Miſs Broderick, only daughter of Dr. Broderick.

4. Anne, married to Henry Pye, of Farrington, in Berkſhire, Eſq;

This noble Lord is deſcended from the Bathurſts, of Bathurſt-Caſtle, near Battle-Abbey in the county of Suſſex.

Arms.] Sable, two bars, ermine; in chief three croſſes, pattee, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a dexter arm in mail, embowed, and holding a club with ſpikes, all proper.

Supporters.] Two ſtags argent; each gorged with a collar gemel, ermine.

Motto.] *Tien ta foy.*

Chief Seats.] At Ruskins in the county of Bucks; at Cirenceſter, in Glouceſterſhire; and St. James's-ſquare, London.

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33. ONSLOW, LORD ONSLOW.

THE Right Hon. RICHARD ONSLOW, Lord ONSLOW, and Bart. lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Surry, and knight of the moſt honourable order of the Bath, born in the year 1713, ſucceeded Thomas, his father, the late lord, in June 1740. He married the year following, Mary Ellwell, daughter of the late Sir Edward Ellwell, by whom he has no iſſue.

Thomas, Lord Onſlow, father of the preſent lord, married Elizabeth, ſole daughter and heir of Mr. Knight, of the iſland of Jamaica, and by her, who died April 19, 1731, had iſſue, an only ſon, Richard, the preſent lord.

Sir

Sir Richard Onſlow, eldeſt ſon of Sir Arthur Onſlow, and grandfather to the preſent lord, was one of the knights of the ſhire for the county of Surry in the reign of King James II; and in the reign of King William, was one of the lords of the admiralty, and ſpeaker of the houſe of commons; and ſworn of the privy-council to Queen Anne, in 1710. On the acceſſion of his late majeſty, he was conſtituted one of the lords of the treaſury, and chancellor and under-treaſurer of the exchequer; and having been a ſtrenuous aſſerter of the proteſtant intereſt, was created lord Onſlow, Baron of Onſlow, in the county of Salop, June 25, 1716, with limitation, for want of iſſue male, to his uncle, Denzil Onſlow, of Pyrford, Eſq; and the heirs male of his body. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Henry Tulſe, by whom he had iſſue, two ſons and two daughters, viz.

1. Thomas, late Lord Onſlow.

2. Richard, who died young.

3. Elizabeth, who married to Thomas Middleton, of Standſted-Montfitchet, in the county of Eſſex; and after his death, ſhe married ſecondly to Samuel Baldwin, Eſq; and,

4. Mary, who married to Sir John Williams, of Stoke, in the county of Suffolk, Knt.

This noble lord is deſcended from the Onſlows of Shropſhire, who flouriſhed in the reign of King Henry III. They took their name from their manor of Onſlow, or Ondeſlow, in that county.

Arms.] Argent, a feſs, gules, between ſix Corniſh choughs, proper.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a faulcon, proper; legged and belled, or; feeding on a partridge, proper.

Supporters.] Two faulcons, with wings diſcloſed, proper; legged and belled, or.

Motto.] *Semper fidelis.*

Chief Seats.] At Weſt Clandon, in Surry; Marlborough-ſtreet, London.

34. MARSHAM, LORD ROMNEY.

THE Right Hon. ROBERT MARSHAM, Lord ROMNEY, ſucceeded his father, the late Lord Romney, Nov. 28, 1724; and married Miſs Pym of the iſland of St. Kitts, by whom he had iſſue, four ſons and four daughters, viz.

1. Robert, born in May 1743.
2. Charles, born in Jan. 1745-6.
3. John, ſince dead.
4. Priſcilla, born in Jan. 1750-1.
5. Elizabeth. 6. Frances, born April 1755. 7. A ſon, born Oct. 22, 1757, and 8. A daughter, March 1, 1759.

Robert Marſham, Lord Romney, father of the preſent lord, was created Lord Romney June 25, 1716, 2 Geo. I. His Lordſhip married Elizabeth, daughter and coheir of Sir Cloudeſley Shovel, by whom he had iſſue Robert, now Lord Romney, and two daughters, Elizabeth, who married in May, 1741, the Right Hon. Jacob Bouverie, Lord Viſcount Folkeſton; (*See* Folkeſton, *Viſcount*,) and Harriot, who is yet unmarried. His lady ſurviving, ſhe married John, late Lord Carmichael, and Earl of Hyndford, in Scotland.

This noble lord is deſcended from the Marſhams of the town of Marſham, in the county of Norfolk, from which town they took their name.

Arms] Argent, a lion paſſant in bend, gules, between two bendlets, azure.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a lion's head eraſed, gules.

Supporters.] Two lions, azure; ſemee of croſs croſlets and ducally gorged, or.

Motto.] *Non ſibi ſed Patriæ.*

Chief Seats.] At the Mote, near Maidſtone in Kent, and at Cuxton, in the ſame county; Clifford-ſtreet, London.

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35. CADOGAN, LORD CADOGAN.

THE Right Hon. CHARLES CADOGAN, Lord CADOGAN, Baron of Oakley, colonel of the ſecond troop of horſe-guards, governor of Graveſend and Tilbury fort, and lieutenant-general, ſucceeded his brother William, the late Lord, July 5, 1726. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Hans Sloan, Bart. by whom he hath iſſue, one ſon, Charles-Sloan Cadogan, born Oct. 29, 1728, who married in 1747, Frances Bromley, daughter of the late Lord Montfort, by whom he has iſſue, a ſon, named Charles-Henry; and three other ſons, viz. William, Edward, and George.

Henry Cadogan, Eſq; father of the late and preſent lord, married Bridget, daughter to Sir Hardreſs Waller, Knt. by whom he had two ſons, viz.

William, the eldeſt ſon, late Earl of Cadogan, who diſtinguiſhed himſelf in a great many battles againſt the French; eſpecially at the battle of Tanniers near Mons, in 1709, and was on the 21ſt of June, 1716, created a peer of Great Britain, by the title of Lord Cadogan, baron of Reading; and on the 8th of May, 1718, 4 George I. was created Baron of Oakley, Viſcount Carverſham, and Earl of Cadogan, with remainder of the barony of Oakley, to Charles his brother. His lordſhip married Margaretta Cecilia Munter, daughter of William Munter, counſellor of the court of Holland, by whom he had iſſue, two daughters, viz.

1. Sarah, married to Charles, late Duke of Richmond; and,

2. Margaret, married to Count Bentinck.

And dying on the 17th of July, 1726, the title of Baron of Oakley, devolved on Charles, his only brother, now Lord Cadogan.

Earl Cadogan, was made colonel of a regiment of Horſe, and brigadier-general in 1704; and at the bat-

battles of Schellenrberg and Hochſtet, the ſame year, behaved with great bravery.

In 1706, he was appointed plenipotentiary to the Spaniſh Netherlands, and advanced to the degree of a major-general; and in 1709, was conſtituted lieutenant-general: he was dangerouſly wounded in the neck at the ſiege of Mons. On the acceſſion of the late King George I. he was made maſter of the robes, and colonel of the ſecond regiment of horſe-guards; and in 1716, was made governor of the iſle of Wight, and plenipotentiary to the States of Holland. On the Duke of Marlborough's death, in 1722, he was appointed maſter general of the ordnance, and colonel of the firſt regiment of foot-guards. No officer was ſo much relied on by the late Duke of Marlborough, as Lord Cadogan. He had the care of marking out almoſt every camp during the war in the Netherlands and Germany, in the reign of Queen Anne, which he executed with ſo much ſkill, that it is obſerved, the duke was never ſurpriſed or attacked in his camp during all that war.

This noble lord is deſcended from Kehdlin, Prince of Powis in Wales, from whom deſcended William Cadwygan, or Cadogan, of Llanbeder, in the county of Pembroke, another of the anceſtors of Lord Cadogan.

Arms.] Quarterly, 1ſt and 4th, gules; a lion rampant reguardant, or; 2d and 3d, argent; three boars heads couped, ſable.

Creſt.] Out of a ducal coronet, or; a gryphon's head, vert.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a lion reguardant, or; on the ſiniſter, a gryphon reguardant, vert; each gorged with a double treſſure, flowered and counter-flowered, gules.

Motto.] *Qui invidet minor eſt.*

Chief Seats.] At Caverſham in Oxfordſhire; Bruton-ſtreet, London.

36. DUCIE-MORTON, LORD DUCIE.

THE Right Hon. MATTHEW DUCIE MORTON, Lord DUCIE, and Baron of Morton, in Staffordſhire, ſucceeded his father, the late Lord Ducie, May 2, 1735.

Matthew Ducie Morton, father of the preſent lord, was created Lord Ducie and Baron Morton, June 13, 1720. His lordſhip married Arabella, daughter and coheir of Thomas Preſtwich, of Holm, Bart. by whom he had iſſue, three ſons and four daughters:

1. Matthew, the preſent lord.
2. Rowland Lewis, who is dead.
5. Charles who married Miſs Anne Wyat, daughter of —— Wyat, of Windſor, in Berkſhire, Eſq; and had iſſue by her a ſon, named Benjamin, that died.
4. Elizabeth, his eldeſt daughter, married firſt to Richard Syms, of Black-heath, Eſq; and ſecondly, to Francis Reynolds, only ſon and heir of Thomas Reynolds, Eſq;
5. Mary,
6. Arabella; and,
7. Penelope, all three dead.

This noble lord is deſcended from the Ducies in Normandy. After they came into England, king Edward I. conferred on them the lordſhip of Morton, in Staffordſhire, and ſeveral other lordſhips and manors, which the family enjoyed for many ages.

Sir Robert Ducie, one of his lordſhip's anceſtors, was lord mayor of London in the reign of king Charles I. and though he lent his Majeſty 80,000 l. which was loſt by the king's being driven from London, he died however worth 400,000 l.

Arms.] Argent, a chevron, gules, between three ſquare buckles, ſable.

Creſt.]

Creſt.] Out of a wreath, a moor-cock riſing, proper, comb and wattles, gules.

Supporters.] Two unicorns, argent, armed mained, tufted, and hoofed, or; each gorged with a ducal coronet, party-per-pale, or and gules.

Motto.] *Perſeverando.*

Chief Seats.] At Spring-park and Tortworth, in the county of Glouceſter; Brook-ſtreet, London.

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37. KING, LORD KING.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM KING, Lord KING, Baron of Ockham, ſucceeded his brother Peter, on the 22d of March, 1754.

Peter, the firſt Lord King, was choſen recorder of the city of London, July 27, 1708, and on the 12th of September following, had the honour of knighthood conferred on him. He was conſtituted Lord chief juſtice of the common-pleas, in the 1ſt year of King George I. in Michaelmas term, 1714, and on the 5th of April following, was ſworn of his majeſty's moſt hon. privy council. On May 19, 1725, 11 Geo. I. he was created a peer of this kingdom, by the title of Lord King, baron of Ockham, in the county of Surry, and in June, the ſame year, declared Lord high chancellor of England, which he reſigned in Nov. 1733. His lordſhip married Anne, daughter of Richard Seys, of Boverton, Eſq; and departing this life, July 22, 1734, left iſſue by her four ſons and two daughters:

1. John, his eldeſt ſon, who ſucceeded him in honour and eſtate, married in May, 1729, Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Fry, of Devonſhire, Eſq; but dying Feb. 10, 1739-40, without iſſue, was ſucceeded by,

2. Peter, late Lord King, the ſecond ſon, who dying unmarried in 1754, was ſucceeded by,

3. William, now Lord King.

4. Thomas, the fourth ſon, married in 1734, a lady of an ample fortune in Holland, and has iſſue, two ſons, Peter and Thomas, and two daughters.

5. Elizabeth, who died in 1749; and,

6. Anne.

Arms.] Sable, three ſpears heads erect, argent; embowed, gules; on a chief, or; as many pole-axes, azure.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a dexter arm, couped below the elbow and erect, habited, azure; and thereon three ſpots, or; turned down, argent; the hand proper, graſping a truncheon, ſable, the top broken off, and the bottom enameled of the ſecond.

Supporters.] Two Engliſh maſtiffs reguardant, proper; each having a plain collar, gules.

Motto.] *Labor ipſe voluptas.*

Chief Seats.] At Ockham, in the county of Surry; St. James's-ſtreet London.

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38 MONSON, LORD MONSON.

THE Right Hon. JOHN MONSON, Lord MONSON, and Baronet, ſucceeded John, his father, the late lord, in July 1748.

His lordſhip in June, 1752, married Theodoſia, daughter of John Maddiſon, in the county of Lincoln, Eſq; by whom he has iſſue, John, his ſon and heir, born in 1753; a daughter named Arabella, born in 1754, another ſon, George Henry, born in 1755; and a third ſon, born March 12, 1758.

Sir John Monſon, Bart. father of the preſent lord, was created Lord Monſon, May 28, 1728. His lordſhip married the Lady Margaret Watſon, youngeſt daughter of Lewis, Earl of Rockingham, and had iſſue three ſons, viz.

1. John, the preſent Lord Monſon, born July 23, 1727.

2. Lewis, born Nov. 28, 1728, to whom Thomas, late Earl of Rockingham left his eſtate, on condition

of his taking the name of Watſon. On the 16th of February he was appointed one of the auditors of the impreſs and foreign accounts, firſt fruits, tenths, cuſtoms, and of the mint and coinage. He married, Oct. 12, 1752, Grace, the third daughter of the late Right Hon. Henry Pelham, Eſq; by whom he hath iſſue, two ſons, viz. Lewis Thomas, born April 18, 1754, and Henry, born April 20, 1755. On May 20, 1760, he was created Baron Sondes of Lees Court, in the county of Kent.

3. George, born April 18, 1730.

This noble lord is deſcended from John Monſon, who flouriſhed in the reign of king Edward III. from whom deſcended another John, who attended King Henry V. in his wars in France.

Sir William Monſon, another of this lord's anceſtors, applying himſelf to the ſea, was made an admiral by queen Elizabeth, and was at the taking and plundering the city of Cadiz, with the Earl of Eſſex, in 1596; he was alſo at the taking a galleon of 1600 tons, worth a million of ducats, in which were alſo the Marquis of Sancta-Cruz, and 300 other Spaniſh gentlemen; he continued admiral in the reigns of King James I. and King Charles I. dying about the commencement of the civil war, and is ſtill celebrated for his judicious naval tracts.

Arms.] Or, two chevrons, gules.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a lion rampant, ſuſtained by a pillar, or.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a lion, or; having a collar and chain azure; the collar charged with three creſcents of the firſt; on the ſiniſter, a gryphon, argent; its collar and chain as the dexter, and its fore legs, azure.

Motto.] *Preſt pour mon pais.*

Chief Seats.] At South Carlton and Northod, both in the county of Lincoln; at Broxborn, in Hertfordſhire; Piccadilly, London.

39. TALBOT, LORD TALBOT.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM TALBOT, Lord TALBOT, Baron of Henſol, ſucceeded his father Charles, the late lord, in Feb. 1736-7. In Feb. 1733-4, he married Mary, daughter and ſole heir of Adam Cardonnel, Eſq; by whom he has one ſon, William, born Nov. 5, 1739, and a daughter, Cecil, married to —— Rice, of Newton in Caermarthenſhire.

Charles, Lord Talbot, ſon of the late Right Rev. William Talbot, lord biſhop of Durham, and father of the preſent lord, was created Lord Talbot, and Baron of Henſol, Dec. 5, 1733. His lordſhip married Cecil, daughter and heir of Charles Matthews, of Glamorganſhire, Eſq; and by her had iſſue five ſons, viz.

1. Charles-Richard Talbot, who died in Sept. 1733.
2. William, now Lord Talbot.
3. John, who married May 30, 1737, Miſs Henrietta Maria, ſecond daughter of Sir Matthew Decker, of Richmond, Bart. and after her death, married a daughter of Lord Chetwynd. He died Sept. 22, 1756.
4. Edward, who died an infant. And,
5. George, a clergyman.

The ſaid late Lord Charles, was made ſolicitor-general, in 1726, and lord high chancellor of Great-Britain, in 1733; which poſt his lordſhip held till his death, in Feb. 1736-7.

This noble lord is deſcended from Sir Gilbert Talbot, of Grafton, knight of the garter, third ſon of John, the ſecond Earl of Shrewſbury.

Arms.] Gules, a lion rampant, within a border engrailed, or; a creſcent for difference.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules, turned up, ermine, a lion, or; his tail extended.

Supporters.] Two talbots, argent; accolled with a double treſſure flory, collared gules.

Motto.]

Motto.] *Humani nihil alienum.*

Chief Seats.] At Caſtle-Menych, and Henſol, in the county of Glamorgan; Barrington in Glouceſterſhire; Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, London.

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40. BROMLEY, LORD MONTFORT.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS BROMLEY, Lord MONTFORT, Baron of Horſeheath, high ſteward of the town of Cambridge, ſucceeded his father Henry, the late lord, who died Jan 1, 1755.

John Bromley, Eſq; grandfather of the preſent lord, died in 1707, leaving two ſons, viz.

1. John Bromley, Eſq; who died unmarried in Nov. 1718. And,

2. Henry, the late Lord Montfort, who married the ſiſter and ſole heir of Sir Francis Wyndham, Bart. of Trent, in the county of Somerſet, by whom he had iſſue Thomas, of whom ſhe died in child-bed, and a daughter, Frances, married to Charles Sloan Cadogan, ſon and heir of Charles Lord Cadogan.

This noble lord is maternally deſcended from Sir Walter Bromleghe, of Bromleghe, in the county of Stafford, who flouriſhed in the reign of king John.

Sir Thomas Bromley, another of his lordſhip's anceſtors, was conſtituted lord-high-chancellor of England, 21 Eliz. in which poſt he died, 29 Eliz.

Arms.] Quarterly, per pale, dovetail, gules and or.

Creſt.] Upon a wreath, a demi-lion rampant, ſable; iſſuing out of a mural crown, or; holding a ſtandard, vert; charged with a gryphon paſſant, argent.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, an unicorn cream-coloured, gorged with a ducal coronet, thereto a chain reflected over his back, horned and unguled, or. On the ſiniſter ſide, an horſe, argent; pellited, collared, dovetail, azure; thereon three lozenges, or.

Motto.] *Non inferiora ſecutus.*

Chief Seats.] At Horſe-heath, in the county of Cambridge; Queen-ſtreet, May-fair, London.

41. HOW, LORD CHEDWORTH.

THE Right Hon. JOHN-THYNNE How, Lord CHEDWORTH, and Baron of Chedworth, lord-lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Glouceſter, and conſtable of St. Brionel's caſtle in the foreſt of Deane, ſucceeded John, the late Lord his father, in April 1742, and married Sept. 23, 1751, Martha, daughter and coheir of Sir Philip Parker Long, of Arwarton in Suffolk, Bart. but as yet hath no iſſue.

John, late Lord Chedworth, father of the preſent Lord, was created Lord Chedworth, Baron of Chedworth, in the county of Glouceſter, May 12, 1741, 14 Geo. II. His Lordſhip married Dorothy, eldeſt daughter of Henry Frederick Thynne, Eſq; Grandfather of Thomas, the preſent Lord Viſcount Weymouth, by whom he had iſſue, ſix ſons and two daughters.

1. John the preſent Lord Chedworth.
2. Henry-Frederick.
3. Thomas, married to Miſs White, about the year 1746.
4. Charles.
5. James, married July 5, 1755, to Miſs Howarth, daughter of Sir Humphry Howarth.
6. William.
7. Mary. And,
8. Anne.

This noble lord is deſcended from the Hows of Somerſetſhire, who reſided in that county for many generations, where they were poſſeſſed of a great eſtate, and of other lands in Devonſhire and Eſſex.

Sir Scrope How appeared very zealous and active in bringing about the Revolution in 1688, and joined with

with the Earl of Nottingham and other Lords and gentlemen in ſubſcribing a declaration: "That they "owned it to be rebellion to reſiſt a king that go- "verned by law; but he was always accounted a "tyrant that made his will the law; and to reſiſt "ſuch a one, they juſtly eſteemed no rebellion, but "a neceſſary and juſt defence."

Arms.] Or, a feſs between three wolves heads couped, ſable; a creſcent for difference.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a dexter arm in armour, erazed below the elbow, lying feſs-ways, and holding in the hand a ſcymetar erected, all proper; hilted and pomelled, or; pierced through a boar's head, couped, ſable.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a lion, argent; pellited, armed, and langued, gules. And on the ſiniſter ſide, an angel, proper; the face profile, with brownish hair, habited crimſon, the under garment, azure; the wings, argent; pinioned of the fourth.

Motto.] *Juſtus & propoſiti tenax.*

Chief Seats.] At Stawell in Glouceſterſhire; Wiſhford, in Wiltſhire; and Curzon-ſtreet, London.

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42. EDGCUMBE, LORD EDGCUMBE.

THE Right Hon. RICHARD EDGCUMBE, Lord EDGCUMBE, Baron of Mount Edgcumbe, lord lieutenant and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Cornwal, ſucceeded his father the late Lord Nov. 23, 1758.

Richard, the late Lord, born in 1680, was created Baron Edgcumbe of Mount Edgcumbe, in the county of Devon, April 20, 1742, 15. Geo. II. His Lordſhip married Matilda, daughter of Sir Henry Furneſe, of Walderſhair in the county of Kent, Bart. by whom he had iſſue two ſons.

1. Richard, the preſent Lord.
2. George, a captain in the navy, and commodore of a ſquadron in the Eaſt-Indies.

Sir Richard Edgcumbe, Knt. father of the late Lord, born in 1639, married the lady Anne Montagu, ſecond ſurviving daughter of Edward, late Earl of Sandwich, by whom he had iſſue, two ſons and ſix daughters, viz.

1. John, who died an infant in 1674. And,
2. Richard, the late Lord.
3. Anne.
4. Mary.
5. Elizabeth.
6. Catherine.
7. Anne. And,
8. Margaret, who are all ſince dead.

This Sir Richard, died in 1688, his Lady ſurviving him forty-one years.

The anceſtors of this noble Lord received their name from their manor of Edgcumbe in Devonſhire. One of this Lord's anceſtors was Sir Richard Edgcumbe, who came over to England with the Earl of Richmond, having a great ſhare in the victory he obtained over King Richard III. at Boſworth, by which the Earl made his way to the throne of England.

Arms.] Gules, on a bend, ermine; cottiſed, or; three boars heads couped, argent.

Creſt.] On a wreath, or and gules, a boar paſſant, argent; a chaplet about the neck of oak leaves, fructed, proper.

Supporters.] On each ſide, a greyhound, argent; gutte-de-poix, collared, dovetail, gules.

Motto.] *Au playſire fort de Dieu.*

Chief Seats.] At Mount-Edgcumbe, near Plymouth, in Devonſhire; in Upper Groſvenor-ſtreet, London.

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43. SANDYS, LORD SANDYS.

THE Right Hon. SAMUEL SANDYS, Lord SANDYS, Baron of Ombersley, and one of his Majesty's most honourable privy council, lord warden and chief justice in Eyre of all his Majesty's forests, parks, chaces, and warrens beyond Trent, was created Lord Sandys, and Baron of Ombersley in the county of Worcester, Dec. 20, 1743, 17 Geo. II. He married in 1724, Letithea, the eldest daughter and heir of Sir Thomas Tipping, of Wheatfield, in the county of Oxford, Bart. by whom he has had issue, seven sons and three daughters.

1. Edwin, member of parliament for Droitwich, in Worcestershire.
2. Cheek, who died in 1737.
3. Thomas, who died in 1728.
4. Martin, lieut. col. of the second regiment of foot-guards, married June 17, 1760 to Miss Trumbull, with an immense fortune.
5. Letithea.
6. William, who died Oct. 31, 1749.
7. Anne.
8. John.
9. Catherine, who died in 1736.
10. Henry, who died in 1737.

Edwin Sandys, Esq; father of the present Lord, eldest son of Samuel Sandys, Esq; married Alice, daughter of Sir James Rushout, of Northwick, Bart. by whom he had two sons and one daughter.

1. Samuel, the present Lord.
2. Edwin, who died young. And,
3. Alice, who died unmarried.

This noble Lord is descended from the ancient family of Sandys of Furnese in Lancashire, from which descended the Right Rev. Edwin Sandys, bishop of

Worceſter, and afterwards archbiſhop of York, in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, one of the anceſtors of the preſent Lord.

Arms.] Or, a feſs dancette between three croſs croſlets fitchee, gules.

Creſt.] A gryphon ſegreant per feſs, or and gules.

Supporters.] On each ſide, a gryphon per feſs, or and gules, collared dancette of the laſt.

Motto.] *Probum non pænitet.*

Chief Seats.] At Ombersley, near Worceſter; in Upper Groſvenor-ſtreet, London.

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44. BRUCE-BRUDENEL, LORD BRUCE.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS BRUCE-BRUDENEL, Lord BRUCE of Tottenham, youngeſt ſon of George, late Earl of Cardigan, ſucceeded to the title of Lord Bruce, on the death of Charles, Earl of Ailesbury, Feb. 10, 1746-7, when the title of Earl of Ailesbury became extinct. *See* Cardigan *Earl.*

The ſaid Charles, late Earl of Ailesbury, was created Lord Bruce of Tottenham in Wiltſhire, 19 Geo. II. 1746, with limitation of that honour to his nephew, the preſent Lord Bruce. His Lordſhip married Lady Anne Saville, eldeſt daughter and coheir to William, Marquis of Halifax, by whom he had two ſons and two daughters.

1. George, born in 1707, who died young.

2. Robert, who married in 1728-9, Frances, daughter of Sir William Blacket, of Newcaſtle upon Tyne, Bart. and died without iſſue.

3. Lady Mary, his eldeſt daughter, married in Dec. 1728, to Henry Bridges, Marquis of Carnarvon, now duke of Chandos, and died in Auguſt 1738.

4. Lady Elizabeth, married in 1732, to the Hon. Benjamin Bathurſt, Eſq; ſon and heir to Allen, Lord Bathurſt.

The ſaid Earl Charles, married to his ſecond wife, the Lady Juliana Boyle, ſecond daughter of Charles, late Earl of Burlington, who died without iſſue by him, in 1738.

He married again in June, 1739, Caroline, only daughter of John Campbel, Eſq; and dying Feb. 10. 1746-7, left iſſue by her, a daughter, named Mary, married in 1757, to the Duke of Richmond.

Arms.] Argent, a chevron, gules, between three ſteel caps, azure, differenced by a martlet, ſable; being the diſtinction of a fourth ſon.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a ſea horſe naiant, argent, mane and tail, or.

Supporters.] (Granted March 24, 1746-7.) On either ſide a ſavage wreathed about the temples, and girt about the loins with ivy, all proper; holding in their exterior hands a banner ſtreaming over their heads, or, charged with a ſaltier, and chief, gules, on a canton argent, a lion rampant, azure, the ſtaff and point proper.

Motto.] *Think and Thank.*

Chief Seat.] Tottenham-Foreſt in Wiltſhire.

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45. FORTESCUE, LORD FORTESCUE.

THE Right Hon. MATTHEW FORTESCUE, Lord FORTESCUE, of Caſtle-hill, married June 8, 1752, Anne, ſecond daughter of John Campbell, of Calder in Scotland, and of Stackpole-court in the county of Pembroke, Eſq; by whom he hath iſſue,

1. Hugh, born March 12, 1753.
1. Matthew, born April 12, 1754. And,
3. John, born March 6, 1755.

Hugh Forteſcue of Filleigh, Eſq; married Bridget, ſole daughter and heir of Hugh Boſcawen of Tregothan,

than, in Cornwal, Eſq; by Margaret, his wife, fourth daughter, and at laſt, coheir of Theophilus, Earl of Lincoln and Baron Clinton, by whom he had two ſons, Hugh and Theophilus; and by a ſecond wife Lucy, ſecond daughter to Matthew, Lord Aylmer, he had Matthew, now Lord Forteſcue: and the ſiſters of Margaret, daughter of the Earl of Lincoln having no iſſue, the Barony of Clinton devolved on Hugh ſon and heir of the forementioned Hugh and Bridget, who was afterwards July 5, 1746, created Earl Clinton and Baron Forteſcue of Caſtle-hill, Devon; and in default of iſſue male, the ſaid title of Baron Forteſcue to deſcend to Matthew, his youngeſt brother, and the heirs male of his body. Theophilus, his Lordſhip's brother, died unmarried, and his Lordſhip dying unmarried May 2, 1751, the Barony of Forteſcue deſcended to the preſent Lord.

This noble Lord is deſcended from the Forteſcues of Winſton in Devonſhire, who flouriſhed in the reign of King Edward I. from whom deſcended John Forteſcue, who was lord chief juſtice of Ireland, in the reign of King Edward VI.

Arms.] Azure, a bend engrailed, argent, cottized, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a plain ſhield, argent.

Supporters.] Two grey-hounds, argent, each having a ducal collar, or, with a double treſſure, gules.

Motto.] *Forte ſcutum ſalus ducum.*

Chief Seats.] At Filleigh, in the county of Devon, of late called Caſtle-Hill; Ebrington in Glouceſterſhire; and Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

46. ANSON, LORD ANSON.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE ANSON, Lord ANSON, Baron of Soberton, vice admiral of England, firſt lord of the Admiralty, and one of the lords of his Majeſty's privy-council, was created Lord Anſon, Baron

Baron Soberton of the county of Southampton, June 10, 1747, 21 Geo. II. His Lordſhip married April 25, 1748, Elizabeth, eldeſt daughter of the Right Hon. Philip, Lord Hardwick, now Earl of Hardwick, and formerly lord chancellor of Great-Britain, by which Lady, who died June 1, 1760, he had no iſſue.

William Anſon, Eſq; father of the preſent Lord, married Iſabel, daughter and coheir of Charles Carrier, of Wirkworth, in the county of Derby, Eſq; and ſiſter to the Counteſs of Macclesfield, mother of the preſent Earl of Macclesfield.

The ſaid William Anſon, the Admiral's father, died in Auguſt 1720, leaving iſſue, two ſons and four daughters, viz.

1. Thomas Anſon, of Shugborough, Eſq; member of parliament for Litchfield.

2. George, Lord Anſon.

3. Jenetta, married to ——— Adams, Eſq; and has iſſue.

4. Iſabella.

5. Anna. And,

6. Joanna.

This noble Lord is deſcended from the Anſons of Staffordſhire, a family which reſided at Dunſtan in that county for ſeveral generations; until William Anſon, Eſq; purchaſed the manor of Shugborough in that county, in the reign of King James, and made it his chief ſeat.

Arms.] Argent, three bends ingrailed, gules; and a creſcent.

Creſt.] Out of a ducal coronet, the top of a ſpear, argent.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a ſea horſe, argent; on the ſiniſter, a ſea lion, of a dun-mouſe colour, each gorged with four gemels, or.

Motto.] *Nil deſperandum.*

Chief Seats.] Moor-Park in Hertfordſhire; and Soberton, in the county of Southampton.

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47. DUNCOMBE, LORD FEVERSHAM.

THE Right Hon. ANTHONY DUNCOMBE, Lord FEVERSHAM, and Baron of Downton, was created Lord Feverſham, in the county of Kent, and Baron of Downton in Wiltſhire, June 23, 1747. His Lordſhip married the Hon. Margaret, daughter of George Verney, late Lord Willoughby of Brook, and ſiſter to the preſent Lord, who dying in Oct. 1755, left iſſue, a daughter, who died an infant, and three ſons.

1. Charles, and
2. Anthony, who died young. And,
3. George, who alſo died in Auguſt, 1741.

His Lordſhip married for his ſecond Lady, Nov. 2, 1756, Frances, daughter of Peter Bathurſt, of Clarendon Park in Wiltſhire, Eſq; by whom he had a daughter born Nov. 12, 1757, and her Ladyſhip died the 21ſt of the ſame month. His Lordſhip married 3dly, Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas Hales of Howlett in Kent, Bart. Aug. 8, 1758, by whom he has a daughter, born June 9, 1759.

Anthony Duncombe, Eſq; youngeſt brother of Sir Charles Duncombe, father of the preſent Lord Feverſham, married Jane, eldeſt daughter and coheir of the Hon. Frederick Cornwallis, Eſq; ſecond ſon of Frederick Lord Cornwallis, treaſurer of the houſhold to King Charles II. by whom he had three ſons and ſeven daughters, whereof Anne, the eldeſt, who married to John Sawyer of Haywood in Berkſhire, Eſq; and Anthony, now Lord Feverſham, only are living.

This noble Lord is deſcended from the Duncombes of Barley-End in Buckinghamſhire. Sir Charles Duncombe, uncle of the preſent Lord, was lord-mayor of London, in 1709.

Arms.]

Arms.] Per chevron ingrailed, gules and argent; three talbots heads eraſed counterchanged.

Creſt.] A horſe's thigh bent at the joint, ſable; the ſhoe, argent, iſſuing out of a ducal coronet, or.

Supporters.] On each ſide, a dark grey horſe, gutte d'or, ducally collared, or.

Motto.] *Deo, Regi, Patriæ.*

Chief Seats.] At Barford, near Downton in Wiltſhire; in Groſvenor-ſtreet, London.

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48. LIDDELL, LORD RAVENSWORTH.

THE Right Hon. HENRY LIDDELL, Lord RAVENSWORTH, and Baronet, was created Lord Ravenſworth, in the county of Durham, June 29, 1747, 21 George II. His Lordſhip married in April 1735, Anne, only daughter of Sir Peter Delme, Knt. alderman and lord-mayor of London, by whom he hath iſſue, one daughter, named Anne, married Jan. 29, 1756, to Lord Euſton, now Duke of Grafton.

Sir Thomas Liddell, father of the preſent Lord, eldeſt ſon of Sir Henry Liddell, Bart. married Jane, eldeſt daughter of James Clavering, of Greencroft, in the county of Durham, Eſq; and dying in 1715, in his father's life-time, left iſſue, now living, Henry, Lord Ravenſworth; two other ſons and a daughter, all died young. Thomas, his youngeſt ſon, married Margaret, ſiſter to George Bowes, Eſq; and has iſſue, one ſon living, named George.

This noble Lord is deſcended from the ancient Lords of Liddell Caſtle, in the county of Durham, where they have been proprietors of great coal-works time out of mind.

Arms.] Argent, frettee, gules; on a chief of the ſecond, three leopard's faces, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a lion rampant, ſable; crowned, or.

Supporters.] On each ſide a leopard, or, ſpotted, purple, gorged with a mural crown of the ſecond.

Motto.] *Unus & Idem.*

Chief Seats.] At Ravenſworth-caſtle, and Newton, both in the county of Durham; Eſſington, in Northumberland; in St. James's-ſquare, London.

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49. ARCHER, LORD ARCHER.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS ARCHER, Lord ARCHER, Baron of Umberſlade, recorder of Coventry, and cuſtos rotulorum of the county of Flint, was created Lord Archer, and baron of Umberſlade, in the county of Warwick, July 14, 1747, 21 George II. He married Catherine, youngeſt daughter of Sir Thomas Tipping, of Wheatfield in Oxfordſhire, Bart. by whom he hath iſſue, one ſon and two daughters. Her ladyſhip died July 20, 1754.

1. Andrew.

2. Catherine, who married in July, 1750, to the Right Hon. the Earl Plymouth, And,

3. Anne, married to Edward Tournour of Shillinglet park, in Suſſex, Eſq; March 15, 1756.

Sir Andrew Archer, father of the preſent lord, ſon of Thomas Archer, Eſq; married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Samuel Daſhwood, lord mayor of London, in 1702, by whom he had iſſue, three ſons and four daughters, viz.

1. Thomas, now Lord Archer.

2. Henry, who married in 1743, the lady Mary Montagu, third daughter of George, late Earl of Halifax.

3. Daniel, deceaſed.

4. Anne.

5. Elizabeth.

6. Sarah; and,

7. Diana, who married to Thomas Chaplin, of Blankney-hall in Lincolnſhire, Eſq;

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This noble lord is deſcended from John de Archer, who came over from Normandy with William the Conqueror; and this family is one of the moſt antient in Warwickſhire, being ſettled at Umberſlade in that county, ever ſince the reign of Henry II. John, another of his lordſhip's anceſtors, was champion to Thomas Earl of Warwick, in the reign of king Henry III. And Thomas was Lord Prior of St. John's of Jeruſalem, in the 14th of King Edward II.

Arms.] Azure, three arrows, or.

Creſt.] Out of a mural crown, or; a wyvern's head, argent.

Supporters.] Two wyverns reguardant, argent, gorged with a mural crown, or.

Motto.] *Sola bona quæ honeſta.*

Chief Seats.] At Umberſlade near Stratford in Warwickſhire; at Pirgo near Rumford in Eſſex; Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

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50. PONSONBY, LORD PONSONBY.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM PONSONBY, Lord PONSONBY, Baron Ponſonby, of Syſonby, in England, Earl and Baron of Beſborow, and Viſcount Duncannon in Ireland, and one of the lords of the treaſury, ſucceeded his father Brabazon, the late lord, in July 1758, and married in July, 1739, the lady Carolina Cavendiſh, eldeſt daughter of William, late Duke of Devonſhire, by which lady, who died Jan. 20, 1760, he hath iſſue two daughters, Catherine and Charlotte, and one ſon, John, born in 1749. Brabazon, the late lord, married Sarah, widow of Hugh Colvil, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue three ſons.

1. William, the preſent lord.

2. The Hon. John Ponſonby, Eſq; one of the commiſſioners of the revenue in Ireland, who married in Sept.

Sept. 1743, the lady Elizabeth, ſecond daughter to William, Duke of Devonſhire. And,

3. Richard.

Sir William Ponſonby, father of the preſent lord, was created baron of Beſborow, in the county of Kilkenny, in Ireland, in 1721, and Viſcount Duncannon of the county of Wexford, in Feb. 1722-3. He married Mary, Siſter to Brabazon Moor, in the county of Louth, Eſq; and by her had iſſue three ſons and three daughters, viz.

1. Brabazon, who ſucceeded him in Nov. 1724, the late Lord Ponſonby.

2. Henry, who married the lady Frances Brabazon, youngeſt daughter of Chambre, earl of Meath, and was killed at the battle of Fontenoy, in May, 1745.

3. Foliot, who died in Oct. 1746.

4. Elizabeth, married to Col. Thomas Newcomen.

5. Dorothy; and

6. Letitia.

This noble family received their name from the lordſhip of Ponſonby, in the county of Cumberland, of which they were long proprietors; but are deſcended from an ancient family of Picardy in France, that came over with the Conqueror, when he made the deſcent upon England, in 1066.

[*For a more particular account of this noble family, we refer the reader to the third volume of this work, where he will find it treated of under the title of Earl of Besborow, among the peers of Ireland.*]

Arms.] Gules, a chevron between three combs, argent.

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, azure; three arrows envelloped with a ſnake, proper.

Supporters.] On each ſide two lions reguardant, azure.

Motto.] *Pro rege, lege, grege.*

Chief Seats.] At Beſborow in the county of Kilkenny, and Syſonby in the county of Leiceſter.

51. BEAU-

51. BEAUCLERK, LORD VERE.

THE Right Hon. VERE BEAUCLERK, Lord VERE of Hanworth, third ſon of his Grace, Charles, late Duke of St. Alban's, born July 14, 1699, was conſtituted one of the commiſſioners of the office of high-admiral of England and Ireland in 1737-8, which he reſigned in July 1749. In March 1750, he was created Lord Vere of Hanworth, in Middleſex; and in April 1736, he married Mary, eldeſt daughter and coheir of Sir Thomas Chambers, of Hanworth, in Middleſex, Bart. and has had iſſue three ſons; of whom Auberry only is living, and a daughter named Mary. (*See Duke of St.* Alban's.)

Arms.] Quarterly in the firſt and fourth, quarterly, France and England with a batoon, gules, charged with three roſes, argent; ſecond and third quarterly, gules, and or, in the firſt quarter a mullet, argent, for Vere.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules; turned up ermine; a lion paſſant, or, crowned party-per pale, argent and gules, and gorged with a collar, gules, charged with three roſes, argent.

Supporters.] The ſame as the Veres, earls of Oxford. On the dexter ſide a boar, azure; armed, crined and membered, or; on the ſiniſter a harpie, or; face and neck, proper.

Motto.] *Vero nil verius.*

Chief Seats.] Hanworth-Houſe, near Iſleworth in Middleſex; St. James's-ſquare, London.

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52. VILLIERS, LORD HYDE.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS VILLIERS, Lord HYDE of Hindon, in the county of Wilts, ſecond ſon to William, late Earl of Jerſey, on March 30, 1752, married the Lady Charlotte Hyde, only daugh-

ter of William Earl of Eſſex, by his wife, the Lady Jane, daughter and coheir of Henry Earl of Clarendon, by whom he has iſſue, a ſon born Dec. 26, 1752, another born Nov. 23, 1759, and other children. On June 1, 1756, his Lordſhip was created a Baron, by the name and ſtile of Lord Hyde of Hindon, in the county of Wilts, to extend to the heirs-male of his body, by the Lady Charlotte Hyde; and in default of ſuch iſſue, the title of Baroneſs Hyde of Hindon, as aforeſaid, to devolve to the ſaid Lady Charlotte Hyde, and the heirs-male of her body. For the anceſtors of this noble Lord, *See Earl of* Jerſey.

Arms.] Argent, on a croſs, gules; three eſcallop ſhells, or; on an eſcutcheon of pretence, azure; a chevron, between three lozenges, or.

Supporters.] On either ſide, an eagle, wings, or; ducally collared and legged, or; each charged on the breaſt with a croſs, argent.

Chief Seats.] At Hindon, Wilts; Grove, Hertfordſhire; Downing-ſtreet, London.

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53. WALPOLE, LORD WALPOLE.

THE Right Hon. HORATIO WALPOLE, Lord WALPOLE, of Woolterton in Norfolk, ſucceeded his father Horatio, the late Lord, who was created Baron Walpole, in June 1756, and died in Feb. 1757. (*See Earl of* Orford.)

Arms.] Or, on a feſſe between two chevrons, ſable, three croſs croſlets, a creſcent for difference.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a royal hart, proper, charged with a croſs croſlet, and on the ſhoulder a creſcent, or; and on the ſiniſter, a lion rampant, charged with a croſs croſlet, and on the ſhoulder with a creſcent, ſable.

Chief Seat.] Woolterton, in Norfolk.

54. MUR-

54. MURRAY, LORD MANSFIELD.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM MURRAY, Lord MANSFIELD, baron of Mansfield, in the county of Nottingham, lord chief juſtice of the court of king's bench, one of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy council, and one of the governors of the charter-houſe, was created a peer in Oct. 1756.

His lordſhip is brother to Lord Viſcount Stormont, one of the ſixteen peers for Scotland; and is married to the lady Elizabeth, ſiſter to the preſent Earl of Winchelſea and Nottingham, by whom he has no iſſue.

[*For a more particular account of this noble lord's family, the reader is deſired to conſult the ſecond volume of this work under the title of Viſcount Stormont, among the peers of Scotland.*]

Arms.] Azure, three mullets, argent, within a double treſſure, or.

Supporters.] On either ſide, a lion rampant, gules, the dexter ſemeed with mullets; the ſiniſter with croſſes patty, argent.

Motto.] *Uni æquus virtuti.*

Chief Seats.] Cane-wood, near Hampſtead in Middleſex; Lincoln's-Inn fields, London.

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55. HILL, LORD HARWICH.

THE Right Hon. WILLS HILL, Earl of HILLSBOROUGH, Viſcount and Baron Kilwarling, in the kingdom of Ireland, and one of his Majeſty's moſt hon. privy council, was on Nov. 24, 1756, advanced to the dignity of a peer of Great Britain, by the name, ſtile and title of Lord Harwich, Baron of Harwich, in the county of Eſſex; and to deſcend to the heirs-male of his body.

[*For a more particular account of the family of this noble lord, conſult the Earl of Hilsborough, in the third volume of this work, among the peers of Ireland.*]

Arms.] Sable, on a feſſe, argent, between three leopards, paſſant, guardant, or; three eſcallops, gules.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a rein deer's head, couped and erect, gules, collared and horned, or.

Supporters.] Dexter ſide, a leopard, proper, ducally collared and chained; ſiniſter, by a rein deer, gules; or, collared and chained as the laſt.

Motto.] *Netentes aut perfice.*

Chief Seat.] At Timweſton in the county of Bucks.

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56. LYTTELTON, LORD LYTTELTON.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE LYTTELTON, Baron of FRANKLEY, in Worceſterſhire, and Baronet, one of his Majeſty's moſt hon. privy council, and F. R. S. Son and heir of Sir Thomas Lyttelton, born Jan. 17, 1708-9, was choſen, in ſeveral parliaments, one of the repreſentatives for the borough of Oakhampton in Devon; was, in 1737, appointed principal ſecretary to the Prince of Wales; and in 1744, conſtituted one of the lords commiſſioners of the treaſury, which he reſigned in 1754, on being appointed cofferer to his majeſty's houſhold. The ſame year, he was made privy counſellor; and in Dec. 1755, having reſigned the office of cofferer to his Majeſty's houſhold, he was made chancellor of the Exchequer; and was created baron of Frankley, by letters patent, dated Nov. 19, 1757, 30 Geo. II.

This noble lord, married, June 15, 1742, Lucy, daughter of Hugh Forteſcue of Filleigh, in Devon, Eſq; by whom he has iſſue, one ſon, Thomas, and a daughter named Lucy, now living.

Their mother dying, Jan. 19, 1746-7, he married a ſe-

a ſecond time, viz. Aug. 10, 1749, Elizabeth Rich, daughter of Sir Robert Rich, Bart. by whom he has no iſſue.

Sir Thomas Lyttelton, the father of this lord, married, May 8, 1708, Chriſtian, daughter of Sir Richard Temple of Stowe, in Bucks, Bart. and maid of honour to Queen Anne, by whom he had iſſue ſix ſons and ſix daughters.

1. George, the preſent Lord Lyttelton.

2. Thomas, who died unmarried, April 16, 1729, being at that time page of honour to the Princeſs Royal.

3. Charles, L. L. D. dean of Exeter, one of his Majeſty's chaplains in ordinary, and rector of Alvechurch in Worceſterſhire.

4. Richard, who died in his infancy.

5. Another Richard, formerly page of honour to her late majeſty queen Caroline, now lieut. general of his majeſty's forces, knight of the bath, maſter of the jewel office, and member of parliament for Poole, in Dorſetſhire. He married, Dec. 14, 1745, Rachel, dutcheſs dowager of Bridgwater, and daughter of Wriotheſly Duke of Bedford.

6. William-Henry, appointed governor of South Carolina, in Jan. 1755.

7. Chriſtian, married to Thomas Pitt of Boconnock, in Cornwal, Eſq; and died, June 4, 1750.

8. Anne, married to the Rev. Francis, Ayſcough, D. D. prebendary of Wincheſter, and formerly preceptor to the prince of Wales and Prince Edward.

9. Mary.

10. Penelope.

11. Amelia, all deceaſed,

12. Heſter, now living, unmarried.

This family appear to have been of very antient ſtanding and conſiderable rank, at South Lyttelton and Frankley in Worceſterſhire: for ſo early as the 9th Edward II. Thomas de Luttelton (or Lyttelton)

was choſen knight of the ſhire for that county. His ſon Thomas, was Eſquire of the body, to king Richard II. Henry IV. and Henry V. and his great grandſon Thomas, was knight of the bath, and judge of the common pleas. This Sir Thomas Lyttelton was the author of the famous Treatiſe on Tenures, which Lord Coke ſo learnedly commented upon, and ſtiles him the Engliſh Juſtinian, and father of the law. He flouriſhed under kings Henry VI. and Edward IV. Sir Thomas, father of the preſent lord, ſat in three parliaments, as knight of the ſhire for the county of Worceſter; and in one for Camelford, in Cornwal. He was many years one of the lords commiſſioners of the admiralty, and died Sept. 14, 1751, aged ſixty-ſix.

Arms.] Argent, a chevron between three eſcallops, ſable.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a Moor's head in profile, couped proper, with a rowl about the head, argent and ſable.

Supporters.] Two tritons or mermen, with tridents, all proper.

Motto.] *Ung dieu, ung roy.*

Chief Seats.] At Hagley-Hall in Worceſterſhire, (Frankley Houſe, the antient ſeat of the family being burnt in the laſt civil war) and Over-Arley in Staffordſhire; Hill-ſtreet, London.

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57. HENLEY, LORD HENLEY.

THE Right Hon. ROBERT HENLEY, Baron HENLEY, Lord Keeper of the great ſeal of Great Britain, and one of his Majeſty's moſt hon. privy council, was created Baron Henley of Grange, in the county of Southampton, March 29, 1760.

Arms.] Quarterly firſt and fourth azure, a lion rampant argent, crowned with a ducal coronet, or, within

in a border, argent, charged with eight torteauxes; ſecond and third, three battering rams.

Creſt.] A demi lion ducally crowned.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a lion rampant, ducally crowned and ſemeed with torteauxes; on the ſiniſter, a ſtag ſemeed with torteauxes.

Motto.] *Sola et unica virtus.*

Chief Seat.] At Grange in the county of Southampton.

58. PETTY, LORD WYCOMBE.

THE Right Hon. JOHN PETTY, Lord WYCOMBE, Baron of CHEPING-WYCOMBE, in the county of Buckingham, and Earl of Shelburne, Viſcount Fitzmaurice, and Baron of Dunkerton, in the county of Waterford, in the kingdom of Ireland, was advanced to the dignity of a peer of Great Britain, as above, May 20, 1760.

Arms.] Ermine, on a bend, ſapphire, a magnetic needle pointing at a pole ſtar, topaz, together with the arms of the Earl of Kerry, quartered, with a creſcent for difference.

Creſt.] On a wreath a bee-hive, beſet with be , diverſely volant proper.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a pegaſus, ermine, bridled, crined, winged, unguled, topaz, charged on the ſhoulder with a fleur-de-lis, ſapphire; on the ſiniſter ſide, a gryphon, topaz.

Motto.] *Ut apes geometriam.*

Chief Seat.] At Cheping-Wycombe, in the county of Bucks.

[*For an account of the family of this noble lord, the reader is deſired to conſult the third volume of this work under the title of Earl of Shelburne, among the peers of Ireland.*]

59. MONSON-WATSON, LORD SONDES.

THE Right Hon. LEWIS MONSON-WATSON, Lord SONDES, of LEES COURT, in the county of Kent, was advanced to the degree of a peer as above, May 20, 1760.

This noble lord is brother to the preſent Lord Monſon. *See Lord* Monſon.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth argent, on a ſ evron engrailed, azure, between three martlets, ch able, as many creſcents, or; ſecond and third, or; two chevrons, gules.

Creſt.] A griffin's head eraſed argent, with a ducal coronet, or.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a griffin argent, gorged with a ducal coronet, or; on the ſiniſter, a bear argent, collared, or.

Motto.] *Eſto quod eſſe videris.*

Chief Seats.] Lees Court, near Feverſham, in the county of Kent; and at Rockingham caſtle, Northamptonſhire.

A

SHORT VIEW

OF THE

PEERESSES

OF

ENGLAND.

1. CAMPBELL, MARCHIONESS GREY.

THE Moſt noble JEMIMA CAMPBELL, Marchioneſs GREY, and Baroneſs Lucas of Crudwel, only daughter of John, now Earl of Breadalbin, by the lady Amabel Grey, eldeſt daughter and coheir of Henry de Grey, late Duke of Kent, ſucceeded to the title of Marchioneſs Grey, &c. on the death of her grandfather the ſaid Henry, late duke of Kent, in June, 1740. She married May 22, the ſame year, to the Right Hon. Philip Yorke, Lord Viſcount Royſton, eldeſt ſon of Philip, Earl Hardwicke, by whom ſhe has iſſue, two daughters, Amabel, born Jan. 22, 1751; and Mary Jemima, born Feb. 9, 1756.

Henry, late Duke of Kent, grandfather of the preſent Marchioneſs, was lord chamberlain of the houſhold to Queen Anne, and ſworn of her Majeſty's privy council, and was created Viſcount Goodrich, of Goodrich-caſtle, in the county of Hereford, Earl of Harold, in the county of Bedford, and Marquis of Kent, Dec. 14, 1706; and, on April 28, 1710, was created Duke of Kent. He was alſo of the privy-council to his late Majeſty King George I. gentleman of the bedchamber, and lord ſteward of his Majeſty's houſhold.

His grace married Jemima, eldeſt daughter of Thomas, Lord Crew, of Steane, by whom he had four ſons and ſeven daughters, viz.

1. Anthony, born in Feb. 1695-6, ſtiled Earl of Harold, afterwards called up to the houſe of peers, as Lord Lucas of Crudwel, in the county of Wilts. He married in April, 1718, Lady Mary Tufton, daughter of Thomas, Earl of Thanet, and died in July, 1723, without iſſue.

2. Henry, born April 1, 1697; died in Dec. 1717.

3. Lucas, And,

4. George, died young.

5. Lady Amabel, eldeſt daughter, and mother of the preſent marchioneſs, married John, Earl of Breadalbin in Scotland, and died March 2, 1726-7.

6. Lady Jemima, married to John, late Earl of Aſhburnham.

7. Lady Henrietta, born in Oct. 1703; who died in Jan. 1716-17.

8. Lady Anne, married Lord Charles Cavendiſh, brother to his Grace, William, late Duke of Devonſhire.

9. Lady Mary, married to the Rev. Dr. Gregory, dean of Chriſtchurch in Oxford.

10. Lady Jane. And,

11. Lady Carolina, both died in their infancy.

This noble family is deſcended from Rollo, or Fulbert, who was chamberlain to Robert Duke of Normandy, and of his gift had the caſtle and honour of Croy, in Picardy, from whence his poſterity aſſumed their ſurname, which was afterwards written de Grey, which Rollo had a daughter, Arlotta, mother of William the Conqueror, and a ſon, John, ſtiled Lord de Croy. From him deſcended Henry, grandfather of the preſent marchioneſs, who was, in a lineal ſucceſſion, the thirteenth Earl of Kent.

Arms.] Barry of ſix pieces, argent and azure in chief, three torteauxes, the arms of Grey.

Creſt.

Creſt.] On a chapeau, gules, turned up, ermine, a wyvern ſejant, or; laying his dexter talon on the ſtock of a tree erected, ſable.

Supporters.] Two wyverns, or; their wings diſcloſed.

Motto.] *Stat religione parentum.*

Chief Seats.] At Wreſt-Houſe, in Bedfordſhire; St. James's-ſquare, London.

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2. CONINGSBY, COUNTESS CONINGSBY.

THE Right Hon. MARGARET CONINGSBY, Counteſs, Viſcounteſs, and Baroneſs CONINGSBY of Hampton-Court, was created Baroneſs and Viſcounteſs Coningsby in the county of Hereford, the 26th of Jan. 1716, 3 Geo. I. ſucceeded her father Thomas, the late Earl, as counteſs Coningsby, in April 1729; and married April 11, 1730, Sir Michael Newton, ſon of Sir John Newton, of Barrs-court, in the county of Glouceſter, Bart. Knt. of the Bath, and had iſſue, by him, who died April 6, 1743, one ſon, John, Lord Viſc. Coningsby, born in Oct. 1732, and died an infant.

Thomas Coningsby, Eſq; father of the preſent Counteſs, being very inſtrumental in the Revolution, was created Baron Coningsby of Clanbraſſil in Ireland the 7th of April, 4 Will. and Mary. He was alſo of the privy-council in the reign of Queen Anne; and vice-treaſurer and pay-maſter of the forces in Ireland, in the year 1704; and created Baron Coningsby of Coningsby, in the county of Lincoln, the 18th of June, 2 Geo. I. and Earl Coningsby, April 13, 1719. He married Barbara, daughter of Ferdinando Gorges, of Eye in the county of Hereford, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue, three ſons and four daughters, viz.

1. Thomas, married a daughter of John Carr, of the county of Northumberland, Eſq; and had two

ſons, Thomas, who died unmarried, and Richard, who ſucceeded his grandfather as Lord Clanbriſſel, married Judith, daughter of Sir Thomas Lawley, of Spoon-hill in the county of Salop, Bart. and died Dec. 18, 1729, without iſſue.

2. Humphry.

3. Ferdinando.

4. Meliora, married to Thomas, Lord Southwell, in Ireland.

5. Barbara, married to George Ayres, of Ayres-court, in Ireland, Eſq;

6. Lettice, married to Edward Denny, of Tralee in the county of Kerry in Ireland, Eſq;

7. Mary.

His firſt wife dying, he married Lady Frances Jones, daughter of Richard, Earl of Ranelagh in Ireland, by whom he had iſſue,

1. Richard, who died young.

2. Margaret, now Counteſs of Coningsby. And,

3. Frances, married to the late Sir Charles Hanbury Williams, Knt. of the Bath.

This family took its name from the town of Coningsby in the county of Salop, where it antiently reſided.

Arms.] The ſame as her father bore, viz. gules, three conies ſejant, argent.

Creſt.] In a ducal coronet, or, five oſtrich feathers, and on the plume thereof, a coney ſejant, all argent.

Supporters.] Two lions, gules, each charged on the ſhoulder with three billets, and ducally crowned, or.

Motto.] *Veſtigia nulla retrorſum.*

Chief Seats.] At Hampton-court in the county of Hereford; and Hill-ſtreet, London.

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3. SCHULENBERG, COUNTESS OF WALSINGHAM.

THE Right Hon. MELESINA DE SCHULENBERG, Counteſs of WALSINGHAM, and Baroneſs of Schulenberg and Aldborough, was created counteſs of Walſingham, in the county of Norfolk, and Baroneſs of Aldborough, in the county of Suffolk, the 7th of April 1722, 8 Geo. I. and is ſaid to be niece to the late dutcheſs of Kendal. She married on the 5th of Sept. 1733, the Right Hon. Philip Dormer, Stanhope, Earl of Cheſterfield, by whom ſhe has no iſſue.

Arms.] Two coats, quarterly, viz. firſt and fourth, or, a lamb paſſant in feſs, quartered, gules and argent, enſigned on the head with three ſtandards of the ſecond; ſecond and third, argent, three eagles couped at the thigh, gules.

Supporters.] Two ſavages, each holding a club over his arm, and wreathed about his temples and loins with ivy, all proper.

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4. WALMODEN, COUNTESS OF YARMOUTH.

THE Right Hon. AMELIA-SOPHIA WALMODEN, Counteſs and Baroneſs of YARMOUTH, was created Baroneſs and Counteſs of Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, April 4, 1740, in the 13th year of his Majeſty's reign.

She is daughter of the late general Francis Wendt, commander in chief of his Majeſty's Hanoverian forces, who died in 1749. She was married to the Baron de Walmoden, by whom ſhe hath two ſons,

1. Francis, Baron of Walmoden, married in Aug. 1752, to Frederica, third daughter of Erneſt, Baron Steinborge, of the council of Regency at Hanover. And,

2. Lewis Walmoden.

Arms.] Or, three merrions pale, argent and azure.

Supporters.] Granted by John Anſtis, King at Arms. On the dexter ſide, a lion guardant, or; and on the ſiniſter ſide, a lion, guardant, azure, gorged, with a double treſſure, flory, counter-flory, azure, as the dexter is.

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5. TUFTON-COKE, BARONESS CLIFFORD.

THE Right Hon. MARGARET TUFTON-COKE, Baroneſs CLIFFORD, and counteſs dowager of Leiceſter, born June 16, 1700, was created Baroneſs Clifford, Aug. 13, 1734, as heir to the Lady Anne Clifford, late wife of Richard, late Earl of Dorſet, and ſole daughter and heir of George, Earl of Cumberland, &c. She married in July 1718, Thomas Coke of Holkham, in the county of Norfolk, Eſq; who was created Lord Lovel, May 28, 1728, and afterwards Viſcount Coke, and Earl of Leiceſter, and had iſſue by the ſaid Earl, Edward, Viſcount Coke, and heir apparent to the Barony of Clifford, who died in 1753, and her husband the Earl of Leiceſter dying without iſſue, in April 1759, his titles became extinct; and upon the death of her Ladyſhip, without iſſue, the titles of the Barony of Clifford will be extinct.

Thomas, Earl of Thanet, father of the preſent Baroneſs, ſon of John, Earl of Thanet, by Margaret his wife, daughter and heir of Richard, Earl of Dorſet, married Catherine, daughter and coheir of Henry Cavendiſh, Duke of Newcaſtle, by whom he had iſſue. *See Earl of* Thanet.

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6. COMPTON-TOWNSHEND, BARONESS FERRERS.

THE Right Hon. the Lady CHARLOTTE COMPTON' Baroneſs FERRERS, of Chartley, ſucceeded Elizabeth, her mother, in that honour, March 13, 1740. She married in Dec. 1751, the Hon. George Townſhend, eldeſt ſon and heir of the preſent Lord Townſhend, by whom ſhe has iſſue. *See Viſc.* Townſhend.

Elizabeth, mother of the preſent Baroneſs, ſucceeded to the title of Baroneſs Ferrers, of Chartley, on the death of Robert, Earl Ferrers, her grandfather, Dec. 25, 1717, the Hon. Robert Shirley, her father, eldeſt ſon of the ſaid Earl Ferrers, dying in the lifetime of his father, Feb. 25, 1698-9. She married in 1715-16, the Right Hon. James Compton, late Earl of Northampton, by whom ſhe had iſſue, three ſons and five daughters, who except the preſent Baroneſs, all died young. *See* Northampton *Earl.*

Arms.] Quarterly, 1 and 4, a lion paſſant guardant, or; between three helmets, argent; for Compton 2 and 3, ſable; Vaire, or and gules. The Arms of Ferrers.

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7. SMITH, BARONESS DUDLEY.

THE Right Hon. ANNE SMITH, Baroneſs DUDLEY' ſucceeded to the Barony of Dudley, upon the death of Ferdinando Dudley Lea, her brother, the late Lord, who died in Oct. 1757, unmarried.

William Lea, father of the late Lord, married Frances, ſiſter of William Ward, late Lord Dudley, and by her, who died in 1737, had iſſue, two ſons and five daughters.

1. Ferdinando, late Lord Dudley.
2. William, who died unmarried.
3. Anne, the preſent Baroneſs, married to William Smith, of Ridgeacre in Shropſhire, Gent. and has iſſue, two ſons and three daughters.

4. Frances, married to Mr. Walter Woodcock, Esq;
5. Mary, who died unmarried.
6. Catherine, married to Mr. Thomas Jordain.
7. Elizabeth, who is unmarried.

Arms.] Argent, on a pale, between two leopard's faces, sable, three crescents, or.

Creſt.] An unicorn, argent, gutte de poix, gorged, with a double treſſure, fleury and counter-fleury, gules.

Supporters.] On either ſide, a lion double queve, vert; armed and langued, gules; gorged with a ducal coronet, thereto a cordon affixed, paſſing between the fore-legs, and reflected over the back, or.

Motto.] *In ſeipſo totus teres.*

Chief Seat.] At Ridgrace, in Shropſhire.

8. PIERCY-SMITHSON, BARONESS PIERCY.

THE Right Hon. ELIZABETH SMITHSON, Baroneſs PIERCY, and Counteſs of Northumberland, who by deſcent, became Baroneſs Piercy, on the death of Algernon, late Duke of Somerſet, her father, in Feb. 1749-50. She married in 1740, Sir Hugh Smithſon, Bart, now Earl of Northumberland, by whom ſhe has iſſue. *See Earl of* Northumberland.

Joſceline Piercy, the 11th Earl of Northumberland, dying May 21, 1670, without iſſue male, the title of Baroneſs Piercy devolved on Elizabeth, his only daughter and heir. She married in 1679, Henry Cavendiſh, Earl of Ogle, ſon and heir to Henry, Duke of Newcaſtle, who was to have borne the name and arms of Piercy; but he dying Nov. 1, 1680, left her a virgin-widow, and very young. She was afterwards claimed in marriage by Thomas Thynne, of Long-Leat in the county of Wilts, who was on that account murdered by the contrivance of Count Coningſmark, Feb. 12, 1681. On the 30th of March 1680,

1680, ſhe was married to Charles Seymour, Duke of Somerſet, both being under age, by whom ſhe had iſſue,

1. Algernon, who ſucceeded to the Baronies of Piercy, &c.
2. Piercy Seymour.
3. Charles, who died unmarried.
4. Elizabeth.
5. Catherine.
6. Anne. And,
7. Frances, who died unmarried.

Algernon, married Frances, eldeſt of the two daughters and coheirs of Henry Thynne, Eſq; onſy ſon of Thomas, Viſcount Weymouth, by whom he had one ſon, George, Viſcount Beauchamp, who died Sept. 11, 1744; and a daughter, the Lady Elizabeth, the preſent Baroneſs. *See Duke of* Somerſet.

Arms.] The ſame as the Earl of Northumberland's.

9. WILSON, BARONESS BERNERS.

THE Right Hon. —— WILSON, Lady BERNERS, only daughter and heir of Thomas Knyvet, of Mutford in the county of Suffolk, Eſq; ſecond ſurviving ſon of Thomas Knyvet, Eſq; eldeſt ſon and heir of Sir Thomas Knyvet, of Aſhwelthorpe, ſucceeded, in Dec. 1743, Catharine, late Baroneſs Berners, who was lineally deſcended and became the ſole heir of Sir John Bourchier, the firſt Lord Berners.

In the reign of William the Couqueror, Hugh de Berners, anceſtor of this noble family, was of Everſdone, in the county of Cambridge; and in 1195, Robert de Berners, another anceſtor of this Lady, gave a fine of two hundred marks, for obtaining the King's favour and reſtitution of his Lordſhip.

Arms] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, argent, a line within a border engrailed, ſable, ſecond and third, quarterly, or, and vert.

10. LEGGE, BARONESS STAWEL.

THE Right Hon. MARY LEGGE, Baroneſs STAWEL, of Somerton in the county of Somerſet, was thus created May 20, 1760, with limitations to her and her heirs male by her preſent huſband the Right Hon. Henry Bilſon Legge, Eſq; uncle to the preſent Earl of Dartmouth. *See Earl of* Dartmouth.

Her Ladyſhip was only daughter and heir to Edward the laſt Lord Stawel, who died April 13, 1755, (upon whoſe death the title became extinct) by his wife Mary, daughter and heir of Sir Hugh Stewkley, Bart. who died in July 1740. She married Sept. 3, 1750, the Right Hon. Henry Bilſon Legge, Eſq; chancellor and under treaſurer of the Exchequer, and one of the lords commiſſioners of the Treaſury, by whom ſhe has a ſon, born Feb. 27, 1757, and other children.

Her Ladyſhip is deſcended from Adam de Stawel, who flouriſhed about the time of the Norman Conqueſt.

Arms.] Ruby, a croſs lozenges, pearl.

Creſt.] On a chapeau ruby, turned up ermine, an eagle diſplayed argent, from its mouth a ſcroll, inſcribed with this motto, *En parole je vis.*

Supporters.] Two beaſts (by moſt termed mantigers) bodied, &c. in form of lions, with human viſages proper, armed with a ſort of horn like thoſe of a ſatyr or goat, and maned and tufted, or.

Motto.] *En parole je vis.*

Chief Seat.] At Aldermarſton in the county of Berks.

LORDS SPIRITUAL.

Names.	Sees.	Year.	In the room of
Dr. Thomas Secker, ——	Briſtol, —	1734	Cecil, tranſlated.
	Oxford, —	1737	Potter, tranſlated.
	Canterbury, —	1758	Hutton, deceaſed.

Arms.] The field, or, an epiſcopal ſtaff in pale, azure; and enſigned with a croſs patee, argent; ſurmounted of a pall of the laſt, charged with four croſſes; formed, fitched, diamond-edged, and fringed, as the ſecond.

Dr. John Gilbert, ——	Landaff, —	1740	Mawſon, tranſlated.
	Salisbury, —	1748	Sherlock, tranſlated.
	York, ——	1757	Hutton, tranſlated.

Arms.] Gules, two keys in ſaltier, in chief, argent; a crown royal, or.

Dr. Thomas Sherlock, —	Bangor, —	1728	Baker, tranſlated.
	Salisbury,	1734	Hoadley, tranſlated.
	London, —	1748	Gibſon, deceaſed.

Arms.] Gules, two ſwords in ſaltier, or; the pomels, or.

Names.	Sees.	Year.	In the room of
Dr. Richard Trevor, ——	St. David's, ——	1744	Willes, tranſlated.
	Durham, —	1752	Butler, deceaſed.

Arms.] Azure, a croſs between four lions, rampant, or.

Dr. Benjamin Hoadley,	Bangor, —	1715	Evans, tranſlated.
	Hereford, —	1721	Biſſe, tranſlated.
	Salisbury, —	1723	Willis, tranſlated.
	Wincheſter, —	1734	Willis, deceaſed.

Arms.] Gules, two keys indorſed in bend, the uppermoſt, argent; the other, or; a ſword interpoſed between them in bend, ſiniſter; of the ſecond, pomels and hilts of the third.

Dr. Matthias Mawſon, —	Landaff ——	1738	Harris, deceaſed.
	Chicheſter, —	1740	Hare, deceaſed.
	Ely, ——	1754	Gooch, deceaſed.

Arms.] Gules, three ducal crowns, or.

Dr. Edward Willes, —— —	St. David's, —	1742	Clagget, tranſlated.
	Bath and Wells,	1743	Wynn, deceaſed.

Arms.] Azure, a ſaltier quarterly quartered, or, and argent.

Names.	Sees.	Year.	In the room of
Dr. John Thomas, ——	St. Aſaph, —	1743	Maddox, tranſlated.
	Lincoln, —	1744	Reynolds, deceaſed.

Arms.] Gules, two lions paſſant guardant, or; in a chief, azure; our Lady ſitting with her babe; crown and ſceptre of the ſecond.

Rt. Hon. Lord James Beauclerck, Hereford, — 1746 Egerton, deceaſed.
Arms.] Gules, three leopards heads reverſed, ſwallowing as many fleur-de luces, or.

Dr. George Lavington, — Exeter, — 1746 Clagget, deceaſed.
Arms.] Gules, a ſword in pale, blade and hilt, proper; two keys in ſaltier, or.

Dr Richard Osbaldeſton, — Carliſle, —— 1747 Fleeming, deceaſed.
Arms.] Argent, on a croſs, ſable; a mitre with labels, or.

Dr. John Thomas, ——	Peterborough, —	1747	Clavering, deceaſed.
	Saliſbury, —	1757	Gilbert, tranſlated.

Arms.] Azure, our Lady, with her babe in her right arm, and a ſceptre in the left, all or.

Names.	Sees.	Year.	In the room of
Dr. Zachary Pearce, —	{ Bangor, ——	1747	Hutton, tranſlated.
	{ Rocheſter, ——	1756	Wilcox, deceaſed.

Arms.] Argent, on a ſaltier, gules; an eſcallop-ſhell, or.

Hon. Dr. Robert Drummond, — St. Aſaph, —— 1748 Liſle, tranſlated.

Arms.] Sable, two keys in ſaltier, argent.

Dr. Thomas Hayter, —— Norwich, —— 1749 Liſle, deceaſed.

Arms.] Azure, three mitres with their labels, or.

Hon. Dr. Frederick Cornwallis, — { Coventry and Litchfield, } 1749 Smalbroke, deceaſed.

Arms.] Party-per-pale, gules and argent; a croſs potent and quadrat in the center, between four croſlets patee, of the ſecond, and or.

D. Edmund Keene, —— Cheſter, —— 1752 Peploe, deceaſed

Arms.] Gules, three mitres, with their labels, or.

Names	Sees.	Year.	In the room of
James Johnſon, —— ——	{ Glouceſter ——	1752	Benſon, deceaſed.
	{ Worceſter, ——	1759	Maddox, deceaſed.

Arms.] Argent ten torteauxes, or.

Dr. Anthony Ellis, —— St. David's, — 1752 Trevor, tranſlated.

Arms.] Sable, on a croſs, or; five cinquefoils of the firſt.

Dr. William Aſhburnham, —— Chicheſter, —— 1754 Mawſon, tranſlated.

Arms.] Azure, a preſbyter John ſitting on a tomb-ſtone, in his left hand a mound, his right hand extended, or; with a linen mitre on his head, and in his mouth a ſword, all proper.

Dr. Richard Newcomb, —— Landaff, —— 1755 Creſſet, deceaſed.

Arms.] Sable, two croſiers in ſaltier, or; and argent; in a chief, azure, three mitres, with labels of the ſecond.

Dr. John Hume, —— —	{ Briſtol, ——	1756	Conybeare, deceaſed.
	{ Oxford, ——	1758	Secker, tranſlated.

Arms.] Sable, a feſs, argent; in chief three ladies heads arrayed and veiled, argent; and crowned, or; and in baſe, an ox of the ſecond paſſing over a ford, proper.

Names.	Sees.	Year.	In the room of
Dr. John Egerton, ———	Bangor, ——	1756	Pearce tranſlated.

Arms.] Gules, on a bend, or; gutty-de-poix, between two mullets, argent.

Dr. Richard Terrick, ———	Peterborough, —	1757	Thomas, tranſlated.

Arms.] Gules, two keys in ſaltier, between four croſs croſlets fitchy, or.

Dr. Philip Yonge, ———	Briſtol, ——	1758	Hume, tranſlated.

Arms.] Sable, three ducal crowns in pale, or.

Dr. William Warburton ——	Glouceſter ——	1759	Johnſon tranſlated

Arms.] Azure two keys in ſaltire, or.

N. B. The biſhops of London, Durham, and Wincheſter, always take place next to the Archbiſhops, and all the reſt according to priority of conſecration.

THE NAMES and TITLES OF THE SIXTEEN PEERS FOR *SCOTLAND.*

1. CAMPBELL, DUKE OF ARGYLL.

THE Moſt Noble ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, Duke Marquis and Earl of ARGYLL, Marquis of Lorn, Viſcount Lochow, keeper of the great ſeal of Scotland, lord juſtice-general, and chancellor of the univerſity of Aberdeen, and one of the lords of his Majeſty's moſt hon. privy council.

Chief Seats.] At Whitton, in Middleſex; Inverary, in the ſhire of Argyll; in Argyll-ſtreet, London.

2. HAY, MARQUIS OF TWEEDDALE.

THE Moſt Noble JOHN HAY, Marquis of TWEEDDALE, Lord Yeſter, a Lord Extraordinary of the ſeſſions in Scotland, governor of the bank of Edinburgh, and one of the lords of his Majeſty's privy council.

Chief Seats.] At Yeſter, in the county of Lothian; Groſvenor-ſtreet, London.

3. KERR,

3. KERR, MARQUIS OF LOTHIAN.

THE Moſt Noble WILLIAM KERR, Marquis of LOTHIAN, Earl of Ancram, and knight of the ancient order of the thiſtle.

Chief Seats.] At Newbottle, in the county of Lothian; Privy-Garden, London.

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4. LESLEY, EARL OF ROTHES.

THE Right Hon. JOHN LESLY, Earl of ROTHES, Lord Leſly, colonel of the third regiment of foot guards, lieutenant-general, governor of Duncannon fort in Ireland, and commander in chief in that kingdom.

Chief Seats.] At Caſtle-Leſly in Fifeſhire; Brook-ſtreet, London.

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5. DOUGLAS, EARL OF MORTON.

THE Right Hon. JAMES DOUGLAS, Earl of MORTON, Lord Aberdour, and knight of the ancient order of the thiſtle.

Chief Seats.] At Aberdour in Fifeſhire; St. James's quare, London.

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6. STEWART, EARL OF MORAY.

THE Right Hon. JAMES STUART, Earl of MORAY, Lord Down, and knight of the thiſtle.

Chief Seats.] At Dunnibriſſel in Fifeſhire; Caſtle-Stewart and Tarnaway, in the county of Murray; Soho-ſquare, London.

7. HOME,

7. HOME, EARL OF HOME.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM HOME, Earl of HOME, Lord Coldringham, Lieut.-general, and colonel of a regiment of foot, and governor of Gibraltar.

Chief Seat.] At Home-caſtle in Berwickſhire.

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8. MAITLAND, EARL OF LAUDERDALE.

THE Right Hon. JAMES MAITLAND, Earl of LAUDERDALE, and Viſcount Maitland.

Chief Seats.] At Lauder-fort in Berwickſhire; and Halton, in the county of Lothian; New Bond-ſtreet, London.

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9. CAMPBELL, EARL OF LOUDOUN.

THE Right Hon. JOHN CAMPBELL, Earl of LOUDOUN, Lord Moclyn, governor of Virginia, a lieut.-general, governor of Stirling-caſtle, and colonel of the 30th regiment of foot.

Chief Seats.] At Loudoun-Caſtle in Airſhire; Privy-garden, London.

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10. OGILVY, EARL OF FINLATER.

THE Right Hon. JAMES OGILVY, Earl of FINLATER and SEAFIELD, Lord Deſkford, and lord vice-admiral in Scotland.

Chief Seats.] At Cullen in Bamff-ſhire; St. James's-place, London.

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11. CAMPBELL, EARL OF BREADALBIN.

THE Right Hon. JOHN CAMPBELL, Earl of BREADALBIN, Viſcount Glenorchy, and Chief juſtice in Eyre, of his Majeſty's foreſts ſouth of Trent.

Chief Seats.] Glenorchy in Argyleſhire; St. James's-ſtreet, London.

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12. GORDON, EARL OF ABERDEEN.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM GORDON, Earl of ABERDEEN, Lord Haddo.

Chief Seats] At Haddo-Houſe in Aberdeenſhire; Hill-ſtreet, London.

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13. HUME, EARL OF MARCHMONT.

THE Right Hon. HUGH HUME, Earl of MARCHMONT, Lord Polwarth, firſt lord commiſſioner of the police in Scotland, and F. R. S.

Chief Seats.] Redbraes in Berwickſhire; Green-ſtreet, Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

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14. CARMICHAEL, EARL OF HYNDFORD.

THE Right Hon. JOHN CARMICHAEL, Earl of HYNDFORD, Lord Carmichael; a Lord of the bedchamber to his Majeſty, a Knt. of the Thiſtle, and one of the commiſſioners of the Police, or Trade in Scotland.

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Chief Seats.] At Weſter-hall in Lanerkſhire; Craigan in Renfrewſhire; and Green-ſtreet, Groſvenor-ſquare, London.

15. MURRAY, LORD VISCOUNT STORMONT.

THE Right Hon. DAVID MURRAY, Viſcount STORMONT, Baron of Scoon and Balvair, embaſſador to the king of Poland.

Chief Seat.] At Keemlington-caſtle, Anandale.

16. CATHCART, LORD CATHCART.

THE Right Hon. CHARLES CATHCART, Lord CATHCART, his Majeſty's high commiſſioner to the general aſſembly of the church of Scotland, and adjutant-general of the forces in North-Britain.

Chief Seats.] Sundrum, Air-ſhire; Charles-ſtreet, Berkley-ſquare, London.

PEERS that do not ſit in the HOUSE, are either Scots Peers that have been made Peers of Great-Britain, ſince the Union in 1707, or Roman Catholics.

Such Scots PEERS are,

1. HIS Grace CHARLES DOUGLAS, Duke of DOVER, created *Anno* 1708.

JAMES HAMILTON, Duke of BRANDON, created *Anno* 1708.

Roman Catholics that do not ſit in the HOUSE.

2. EDWARD HOWARD, Duke of NORFOLK, Earl of ARUNDEL, Hereditary Earl Marſhal of England.

GEORGE TALBOT, Earl of SHREWSBURY, Baron TALBOT.

JOHN PAUL STAFFORD HOWARD, Earl STAFFORD, Baron STAFFORD.

ANTHONY BROWN, Viſcount MONTAGU.

WILLIAM STOURTON, Lord STOURTON.

ROBERT PETRE, Lord PETRE, of Wrettel.

HENRY ARUNDEL, Lord ARUNDEL, of Wardour.

CHARLES DORMER, Lord DORMER, of Wenge.

HENRY ROPER, Lord TEYNHAM.

MARMADUKE LANGDALE, Lord LANGDALE, of Holme.

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NEW CREATIONS,

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81. WEST, EARL DELAWARR.

THE Right Hon. JOHN WEST, EARL DELAWARR, Viſcount Cantalupe, Baron Delawarr, was created a Viſcount and Earl, March 21, 1761, by the Titles of Viſcount Cantalupe and Earl Delawarr. [*See Lord Delawarr, p.* 204.]

82. TALBOT, EARL TALBOT.

The Right Hon. WILLIAM TALBOT, EARL TALBOT, Lord Talbot, Baron of Henſol, was advanced to the dignity of an Earl by the Title of Earl Talbot, March 21, 1761, and in the ſame month was appointed lord ſteward, and ſworn one of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy council. [*For an account of this noble Peer, ſee page* 246.]

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12. SPENCER, VISCOUNT SPENCER.

THE Right Hon. JOHN SPENCER, Viſcount SPENCER, Baron Spencer, of Althorpe, in the county of Northampton, was created a peer as above, April 4, 1761. His Lordſhip married, Dec. 26, 1756, Miſs Poyntz, one of the daughters of the late Stephen Poyntz, Eſq; governor to his Royal Highneſs the Duke of Cumberland, by whom he has iſſue ſons and daughters.

His Lordſhip's Father, the Hon. John Spencer, was the fourth ſon of Charles Earl of Sunderland, by Lady Anne Churchill, ſecond daughter and coheir of John the great Duke of Marlborough. [*See Spencer Duke of Marlborough, p.* 21.] He was married Feb. 14, 1733-4, to the Lady Georgina Carolina, third daughter to the late Earl of Granville, and by her he had iſſue,

John, now Lord Viſcount Spencer, born Dec. 6, 1734, and a daughter who died young.

The Hon. John Spencer, dying anno 1746, his widow and relict married, in 1750, William Earl Cowper.

Arms.] Quarterly argent and gules, in the ſecond and third, a frett, or: over all a bend ſable, charged with three eſcallops argent.

Creſt.] Out of a ducal coronet, a gryphon's head between two wings argent, collared gemelly gules.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide a gryphon, per ſeſs ermine and erminois; and on the ſiniſter, a wyvern ermine, their wings erect, each gorged with a collar fleury, counter-fleury and chained ſable, and on the collars three eſcallops argent.

Motto.] *Dieu defend le droit.*

Chief Seats.] Althorpe, Northamptonſhire; Wimbledon, and Batterſea, Surry.

13. NOEL, VISCOUNT WENTWORTH.

The Right Hon. EDWARD NOEL, Viſcount WENTWORTH, of Wellſborough, in the county of Leiceſter, Baron Wentworth of Nettleſtead, and Baronet, was advanced to the dignity of a Viſcount, by the title of Viſcount Wentworth of Wellſborough, May 4, 1762. [*For a particular account of this noble Peer, ſee* Noel, Lord Wentworth, *p.* 207.]

14. COURTENAY VISCOUNT COURTENAY.

The Right Hon. WILLIAM COURTENAY, Viſcount COURTENAY, of Powderham Caſtle, in the county of Devon, and Baronet, ſucceeded his father, the late Viſcount, May 16, 1762.

Sir William Courtenay, May 4, 1762, was created a Peer as above. He was married to the Lady Frances Finch, daughter to the late Earl of Aylesford, April 1741, by whom he had iſſue, William, the preſent Viſcount, born Nov. 31, 1742, and four daughters.

This noble Lord is deſcended from Hugh Courtenay, who was created Earl of Devonſhire by King Edward I. 1295. There have been of this family ſeveral Barons of Okehampton, twelve Earls of Devonſhire, and a Marquis of Exeter; and is one of the firſt and moſt illuſtrious families in Europe, having been allied to the Emperors of Conſtantinople and the Kings of France.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, or, three torteaux, ſecond and third, or, a lyon rampant, azure.

Creſt.] A dolphin naiant argent.

Supporters] Two boars argent briſtled, tuſk'd and hoofed, or.

Motto.] *Ubi lapſus quid feci.*

Seat.] Powderham Caſtle, Devon.

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23. BOOTH, LORD DELAMERE.

The Right Hon. NATHANIEL BOOTH, Lord DELAMERE, of Dunham Maſſey, Cheſhire, ſucceeded to the title on the death of the late Earl of Warrington.

His Lordſhip is deſcended from Henry, the fifth ſon of Sir George Booth, Bart. who, in conſideration of his great ſervices towards the reſtoration of King Charles the Second, was created Baron Delamere, of Dunham Maſſey, in April 1661.

This family is of great antiquity and long ſtanding, in the counties palatine of Lancaſhire and Cheſhire, and the name to be met with as far back as in the year 1275, 3 Edward I.

Arms.] Argent, three boars heads erect, and erazed, ſable.

Creſt.] On a wreath vert, a lyon paſſant, argent.

Supporters.] Two boars ſable, briſtled and unguled, or.

Motto.] *Quod ero ſpero.*

57. ROBINSON, LORD GRANTHAM.

The Right Hon. THOMAS ROBINSON, Lord GRANTHAM, Knight of the Bath, and one of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy council; was created a peer, by the title of Lord Grantham of Grantham, Lincolnſhire, April 4, 1761.

His Lordſhip was ſent envoy extraordinary to the court of Vienna in 1739; created a Knight of the Bath in 1742, the preſent Emperor of Germany performing the ceremony; appointed a commiſſioner of trade and plantations in Dec. 1748; made keeper of the great wardrobe, and ſworn one of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy council, in Dec. 1749. In March 1754, his Lordſhip was advanced to the office of ſecretary of ſtate for the ſouthern department, and in the month following, was named one of the regency in his Majeſty's abſence to his German dominions. In Nov. 1755, he reſigned the poſt of ſecretary of ſtate, and a few days after was appointed keeper of the great wardrobe.

His Lordſhip married Frances, daughter to Thomas Worſley, Eſq; of Hovingham in Lancaſhire, by whom he has iſſue the Hon. Thomas Robinſon, Eſq; member in the preſent parliament for the borough of Chriſt Church, Southampton.

His Lordſhip is the fourth ſon of the late Sir William Robinſon, Bart. of Newby Hall, Yorkſhire; a family of great antiquity in that county, of whom was William Robinſon, Eſq; in Queen Elizabeth's reign, who was twice Lord Mayor of York, and repreſented that city in two parliaments.

Arms.] Vert, a cheveron between three ſtags, a gaze, or.

Creſt.] On a crown fleur de lis, a mount vert, thereon a ſtag at gaze, or,

Supporters.] On either ſide a greyhound regardant, ſable.

Motto.] *Qualis ab incepto.*

58. GROSVENOR, LORD GROSVENOR.

The Right Hon. RICHARD GROSVENOR, Lord GROSVENOR, and Baronet, ſucceeded his father Sir Robert in 1758, and was advanced to the dignity of a Peer in 1761, by the title of Lord Groſvenor of Eaton, Cheſhire. His Lordſhip is yet unmarried.

Sir Robert Groſvenor married Jane, the only ſurviving child of Thomas Warre, of Sewell Court, in the county of Somerſet, Eſq; by whom he had iſſue,

1. Richard, now Lord Groſvenor.

2. Thomas, member for the city of Cheſter, and married to Miſs Skynner of Walthamſtow.

And four daughters.

This noble Lord is deſcended from Gilbert le Groſvenor, who was related to William the Conqueror, and followed him in his expedition to England, and whoſe ſon Robert le Groſvenor had the lordſhip of Over Leſtock in Cheſhire, given him by the Conqueror's uncle.

Arms.] Azure, a garb, or.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a talbot, or.

Supporters.] On either ſide, a talbot regardant or, gorged with a plain collar azure.

Motto.] *Nobilitatis virtus non ſtemma character.*

Chief Seats.] Eaton Hall, three miles from Cheſter; Helkin Hall, two miles from Flint; Sewell Court, in Somerſetſhire; Wymondeley, in Hertford; and on Milbank, Weſtminſter.

59. CURZON, LORD SCARSDALE.

The Right Hon. NATHANIEL CURZON, Lord SCARSDALE, and Baronet, was created a Peer in 1761, by the title of Lord Scarſdale of Scarſdale, Derbyſhire.

His Lordſhip, in 1750, was married to the Lady Caroline Collier, daughter to the Right Hon. the Earl of Portmore, by whom he had iſſue,

1. A ſon, born Sept. 16, 1751.
2. A daughter, born May 6, 1753.
3. Another ſon, born March 22, 1758.

The late Sir Nathaniel Curzon, married Mary, daughter of Sir Ralph Aſheton of Middleton, in Lancaſhire, Bart. By her he had iſſue,

1. John, who died an infant.
2. Nathaniel, who ſucceeded him in 1758, and is now Lord Scarſdale.

3. Aſheton,

3. Aſheton, who was married to Miſs Hanmer of Iſcoyd, Flintſhire, and is member in the preſent parliament for Clithero, Lancaſhire.

This family is deſcended from Giraline de Curzon, who came over with William the Conqueror, and had divers lands in the county of Berks and of Devon given him.

Arms.] Argent, on a bend ſable, three popin jays, or, collared gules.

Creſt.] A popin jay riſing, or, collared gules.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, the figure of Prudence repreſented by a woman, habited argent, mantled azure, holding in her ſiniſter hand a javelin entwined with a remora proper; and on the ſiniſter, the figure of Liberality, repreſented by a like woman, habited argent, mantled purpure, holding a cornu-copia proper.

Motto.] *Recte & ſuaviter.*

Chief Seat.] Keddleſton, near Derby.

60. IRBY, LORD BOSTON.

The Right Hon. WILLIAM IRBY, Lord BOSTON, and Baronet, and chamberlain to her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs Dowager of Wales, was advanced to the dignity of a Peer in 1761, by the title of Lord Boſton of Boſton, Lincolnſhire.

His Lordſhip, in Auguſt 1736, was appointed chamberlain to the Princeſs of Wales. In 1735, he was choſen member for Launceſton in Cornwall, and alſo choſe again in 1741 for the ſame borough; his Lordſhip, in 1747, was elected member for Bodmin in Cornwall, as he was again in 1754. His Lordſhip, Auguſt 26, 1746, was married to Miſs Selwyn, maid of honour to the Princeſs of Wales, by whom he hath had iſſue.

1. A daughter, born July 18, 1747.
2. A ſon, born June 28, 1749.
3. Another ſon, born Auguſt 29, 1750.

Sir Edward Irby was created a Baronet in the third year of Queen Anne, and married Dorothy, daughter of the Hon. Henry Pagett, ſecond ſon of William Lord Pagett, by whom he had one daughter, and the preſent Lord Boſton.

This family is of great antiquity in the county of Lincoln; of whom was Sir William de Irby, Knt. who flouriſhed in the reign of Henry the Third.

Arms.] Argent, fretty ſable on a canton, gules, a chaplet, or.

Creſt.] A ſaracen's head in profile, ſiniſter proper wreathed, argent and ſable.

Supporters.] On either ſide an antilope, gules gorged, with a chaplet, or.

Motto.] *Honor fidelitatis præmium.*

Chief Seat.] Spalding, in Lincolnſhire.

61. PERCIVAL, LORD LOVELL AND HOLLAND.

The Right Hon. JOHN PERCIVAL, Earl of EGMONT, Viſcount and Baron PERCIVAL, in the kingdom of Ireland; poſtmaſter general, and one of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy council, was created a Peer of Great Britain in May 1762, by the title of Lord Lovell and Holland, Baron Lovell and Holland of Enmore, in the county of Somerſet. [*See Percival, Earl of Egmont, in the third volume of this work, among the Peers of Ireland.*]

62. MONTAGUE, LORD MONTAGUE.

The Right Hon. JOHN MONTAGUE, Lord MONTAGUE, ſon of the Earl of Cardigan, was created a Peer by the title of Lord Montague of Boughton in Northamptonſhire, in May 1762. [*See Montague Earl of Cardigan, p.* 82.]

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, Montagu and Monthermer, quartered, viz. firſt, argent within a bordure ſable, three lozenges, in feſs, gules, for Montague. Second, or, an eagle diſplayed, vert, for Monthermer. Third, as ſecond, fourth as firſt. Second and third, ſable, a lion rampant, argent, on a canton of the laſt,

a croſs of St. George, for Churchill, differenced with a label of three points.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a gryphon's head couped, or, beaked and winged, ſable.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a gryphon, or, beaked, winged, and legged, ſable; on the ſiniſter, a wyvern, gules, gorged with a collar, or, having an oval ſhield, pendant therefrom; upon the breaſts, azure, garniſhed gold, charged with a ſaltire of Scotland.

Motto.] *Spectamur agendo.*

63. DAMER, LORD MILTON.

The Right Hon. JOSEPH DAMER, Lord MILTON, of Shrone-Hill, in the kingdom of Ireland, was created a Baron of Great Britain, in May 1762, by the title of Baron Milton of Milton Abbey, Dorſetſhire. [*For a further account of this noble Peer, the reader is deſired to conſult the third volume of this work, among the Peers of Ireland.*]

64. MONTAGUE, LORD BEAULIEU.

The Right Hon. EDWARD MONTAGUE, Lord BEAULIEU, and Knight of the Bath, was advanced to the dignity of a Peer, and to deſcend to his heirs-male by her Grace Iſabella, Ducheſs Dowager of Mancheſter, his preſent Lady, by the title of Lord Beaulieu of Beaulieu, Hants, May 1762.

His Lordſhip, in Auguſt 1753, was created a Knight of the Bath: He repreſented the borough of Tiverton, in the 11th and 12th parliaments of Great Britain. In 174—he was married to her Grace Iſabella, Ducheſs of Mancheſter, eldeſt daughter and coheir of John Duke of Montague, and relict of William Duke of Mancheſter; by whom he hath had iſſue, a daughter, born Auguſt 27, 1749.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, Montague and Monthermer, quartered, viz. firſt, argent within a bordure, ſable, three lozenges, in feſs, gules, for Montagues. 2. Or, an eagle diſplayed, vert, for Monthermer; third as ſecond, fourth as firſt. Second and third, ermine, three bars, gules; on a canton, argent, a croſs of St. George, for Huſſey.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a gryphon's head, couped, or, beaked and winged, ſable.

Supporters.] On each ſide a ſtag, proper; collared with a ducal coronet and chain, the latter reflecting over their backs, or,

Motto.] *Spectemur agendo.*

65. VERNON, LORD VERNON.

The Right Hon. GEORGE VENABLES VERNON, Lord VERNON, and Baron of KINDERTON, Cheſhire, was ſo created May 1, 1762. 2 George III. His Lordſhip was repreſentative for the city of Litchfield in three parliaments, as he was alſo for the town of Derby in two. In July 1731, he was married to Mary, the daughter of Thomas Lord Effingham Howard, who died in February 1740, and left iſſue,

1. George Venables, born May 9, 1735, member of parliament for Bramber, Suſſex.
2. A daughter, born July 10, 1736.
3. A ſon, July 1737.
4. Another ſon, October 26, 1738.

His Lordſhip married, in Dec. 1741, to his ſecond Lady, the daughter of Sir Thomas Lee of Hartwell, Buckinghamſhire, who died Sept. 22, 1742.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, azure, two bars, argent. Second, argent, a fret, ſable. Third, or, on a feſs, azure, three garbs of the field.

Creſt.] On a wreath, a boar's head eraſed, ſable, ducally gorged, or.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a lyon, gules, collared and chained, or; on the ſiniſter, a boar, ſable, ducally collared and chained, or.

Motto.] *Vernon ſemper viret.*

Chief Seat.] At Sudbury, Derbyſhire.

66. LANE, LORD BINGLEY.

The Right Hon. GEORGE LANE, Lord BINGLEY, was advanced to the dignity of a Peer in May 1762, by the title of Baron Bingley in the county of York, with limitation to his heirs male by Harriot his preſent Lady. His Lordſhip was repreſentative for the city of York in four parliaments, and was married July 12, 1731, to the Hon. Miſs Harriot Benſon, daughter and heireſs of Robert, the late Lord Bingley, by whom he has iſſue,

Robert, born Aug. 24, 1732, member for the city of York, married July 29, 1761, to the Hon. Miſs Henley, daughter of Robert Lord Henley, Lord High Chancellor.

Arms.] Quarterly, firſt and fourth, argent, a lyon rampant, gules, within a border, ſable; on a canton of the firſt, a harp and crown, or, for Lane. Second and third, argent, a cheveron between three foxes heads, eraſed, gules, for Fox.

Creſt.] A gryphon, ſable, iſſuing out of a ducal coronet, or, winged argent.

Supporters.] On either ſide a bear, argent.

Motto.] *Inconcuſſa virtus.*

Chief Seat.] Bramham Park, Yorkſhire.

STUART, BARONESS MOUNT STUART.

The Right Hon. MARY STUART, Counteſs of BUTE, was created a Baroneſs of Great Britain, April 4, 1761, 1 George III. by the title of Baroneſs Mount Stuart of Wortley, Yorkſhire, with limitation of the honour to her heirs-male, by her preſent huſband John Earl of Bute. [*We have given an account of this noble family in our view of the Scotch nobility under the title of* Earl of Bute, *to which we refer the reader.*]

PITT, BARONESS CHATHAM.

The Right Hon. Lady HESTER PITT was advanced to the dignity of a Peereſs in Oct. 1761, 1 George III. by the title of Baroneſs CHATHAM of Chatham, Kent, with limitation to her heirs-male by her preſent huſband the Right Hon. WILLIAM PITT; which honour HIS MAJESTY was pleaſed to grant IN CONSIDERATION OF THE GREAT AND IMPORTANT SERVICES OF THE SAID MR. PITT.

Her Ladyſhip was daughter to the late Right Hon. Counteſs Temple, and is ſiſter to the preſent Earl Temple; was married Oct. 16, 1754, to the Right Hon. William Pitt, by whom ſhe hath iſſue,

1. John, born Oct. 10, 1756.
2. Another ſon, born May 28, 1759.
3. A daughter, born April 22, 1758.

[*Arms.*

Arms.] Vert on a croſs, argent, five torteaux.

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a lyon, guardant, charged on the breaſt with a ſlip of oak fructed, proper; on the ſiniſter, a ſtag, proper, attired, or, gorged, with a collar and chain affixed thereto, paſſing between his fore-legs, and reflected over his back, ſable.

Motto.] *Benigno numine.*

FOX, BARONESS HOLLAND.

The Right Hon. Lady CAROLINE Fox, Lady Holland, Baroneſs of HOLLAND, in the county of Lincoln, was thus created May 1762, with the dignity of Lord Holland to her heirs-male by her preſent huſband, the Right Hon. Henry Fox, brother to the Earl of Ilcheſter.

Her Ladyſhip is ſiſter to Charles Duke of Richmond, and was married in May 1744 to the Right Hon. Henry Fox, now paymaſter general of the forces, clerk of the pells in Ireland, and one of his Majeſty's moſt honourable privy council; by whom ſhe hath had iſſue four ſons,

1. Stephen, born Feb. 20, 1745.
2. Henry Charles, who died in 1746.
3. Charles James, born Jan. 14, 1748-9.
4. Henry.

Arms.] Arms of Lenos (her father) Duke of Richmond, viz. (the ſame as King Charles the IId. within a border, compone, argent, and gules; the firſt charged with roſes of the ſecond.)

Supporters.] On the dexter ſide, a fox, argent, ears, noſe, feet, and tip of the tail, ſable, gorged, with a collar, compone, argent, and gules; the firſt charged with roſes of the ſecond, barbed, and ſeeded, proper; and on the ſiniſter, a like fox, collared as before, with a chain affixed thereto, or.

Motto.] *Re E. Marito.*

ALTE-

ALTERATIONS in the State of the Engliſh Peerage, ſince the Publication of the Third Edition of *Salmon's Short View of the Families of the Engliſh Nobility*, 1760.

Page 1. l. 11. THE father of the late and preſent Duke, was not Duke of Norfolk, but only Lord Thomas Howard; for the late Duke of Norfolk ſucceeded his uncle William-Henry, elder brother to the above Lord Thomas Howard.

P. 6. Lord Geo. Hen. Lenox married Lady Louiſa Ker, daughter to, &c.

P. 8. The iſſue of Lord Auguſtus Fitzroy are wrongly ſtiled Lord Auguſtus, and Lord Charles, that being only the ſtile of the younger ſons of Dukes, which title their father never arrived at.

P. 10. ——2. Lady Elizabeth, died 1760.

P. 21. The Duke of Marlborough, lord chamberlain, and married to Lady Carolina Ruſſell, daughter to the Duke of Bedford.

P. 29. The D. of Rutland has no ſeat at Averham-Park in Nottinghamſhire. It belongs to Lord George Sutton, who ſucceeded to it on the death of his brother Lord Robert Sutton.

—— The D. of Queenſberry is not Viſcount, but Earl of Drumlanrig.

P. 38 William, D. of Portland, dead, and ſucceeded by his ſon, William-Henry, Marq. of Tichfield.

P. 42. Robert, D. of Mancheſter, dead, and ſucceeded by his ſon, George, Viſc. Mandeville, who, Oct. 23, 1762, married Miſs Daſhwood, daughter to Sir James Daſhwood.

P. 65. ——8. Lady Diana, married to the Rev. Mr. Marriot, and ſince dead.

P. 66. John, E. of Weſtmoreland, dead, and ſucceeded as E. of Weſtmoreland and B. Burgherſh, by Thomas Fane, Eſq; member for Lyme in Dorſetſhire, who is deſcended from Francis, the ſecond ſurviving ſon of the firſt Earl of Weſtmoreland, of this family. The barony of Deſpenſer being a barony in fee, devolves on Sir Francis Daſhwood, Bart. as lineally deſcended by the female line, from Vere (fourth E. of Weſtmoreland) Baron Deſpenſer, father of the three laſt Earls. The title of Baron Catherlough in Ireland is extinct.

P. 70. ——2. John is one of the clerks comptrollers of his Majeſty's board of green-cloth.

P. 72. ——2. William, is vice-chamberlain to his Majeſty, and a privy counſeller; he had a ſon (by his ſecond wife) born Nov. 5, 1752.

—— ——3. John, is one of his Majeſty's council learned in the law.

P. 77. l. 2. The late Earl of Thanet's Lady was not a Sackvile, but Saville.

P. 81. The daughter, born July 14, 1759, died the ſame month, as well as the Counteſs its mother.

P. 84. Richard, Earl of Angleſea, dead, and the title ſuppoſed to be either extinct, or in diſpute.

P. 85. Iſabella, Counteſs Dowager of Carliſle, married Sir William Muſgrave, Bart. 1759.

P. 97. ——5. Lady Mary is dead.

—— ——6. Lady Frances's huſband, Lord Cornbury, is dead.

P. 100. ——10. Lady Sophia died 1760.

P. 101. ——3. Lady Juliana married Lord Carbery, and died 1760.

P. 105. John-Paul, Earl of Stafford, dead, and the title extinct.

P. 106. Henrietta, Counteſs dowager of Stafford, is married to Viſc. Farnham.

P. 108. ——11. Lady Henrietta died 1757.

P. 109, Thomas, Earl of Bradford, dead, and the title extinct.

P. 119. ——1. Viſc Malpas had a ſon born 1749, and a daughter born 1755.

P. 119. ——2. Robert is rector of St. Andrew's in the town of Hertford, and alſo of Hertingfordbury in the ſame county.

P. 120. ——4. Lady Elizabeth's huſband, Edward Warren of Poynton (not Poyton) is dead.

P. 122. ——1. Lady Elizabeth, and her huſband, Joſeph Gaſcoigne Nightingale, both dead.

P. 130. ——5. Lady Frances was not married to Sir William Carew, but Courtenay, of Powderham-Caſtle.

P. 131. ——3. Frederick is a clergyman, prebendary of Ely, and one of the clerks to the privy ſeal.

P. 133. John Earl Granville dead, and ſucceeded by his ſon John Viſcount Carteret.

P. 143. l. 6. for Earl of Verney, read Earl Verney.

P. 147. l. 4. after iſſue, add—1. A ſon, born 1755.
—2. Lady Lucy, born 1751.

P. 149. ——2. John, beſides what is here ſaid of him, is alſo colonel of the ſecond regiment of dragoon guards, uſually ſtiled the Queen's.

—— —— 3. Lady Henrietta is dead.

P. 153. l. 13. for Commiſſioner, read Commoner.

P. 156. William Lord Viſcount Pultney, died at Madrid February 1763.

P. 166. ——1. Lord Warkworth is a captain in the 85th regiment of foot, ſtiled royal volunteers, and one of the repreſentatives for the city of Weſtminſter.

P. 175. Charles, Earl of Cornwallis, dead, and ſucceeded by his ſon, Charles, Viſcount Brome.

P. 179. Darlington, l. 3. dele colonel of a company in the ſecond regiment of foot-guards, which he reſigned in 1758, and l. 6. for mayor read an alderman, for mayor is only an annual office, which he enjoyed in 1758.

—— ——2. Frederick is deputy-treaſurer of Chelſea hoſpital.

P. 180. ——6. Lady Henrietta died 1758.

P. 185. Edward, Viſcount Hereford, dead, and ſucceeded by his ſon Edward, an officer in the firſt regiment of foot-guards.

P. 189.

P. 189. l. 4. Charlotte died 1760.

——— l. 23. this Roger died 1760.

——— l. 32. this Edward is now dean of Norwich.

P. 192. William, Viſcount Hatton, dead, was ſucceeded by his brother, Henry Charles, who is alſo dead, and the title extinct.

P. 194. Falmouth, l. 9. is ſaid to be created by Queen Anne; but it was in 1720, by King George I.

P. 195.———6. Nicholas is alſo chaplain in ordinary to his Majeſty.

P. 196.———2. John is a cornet in the horſe-guards blue.

P. 199. Jacob, Viſcount Folkeſton, dead, and ſucceeded by his ſon, William.

——— ———3. Anne was married to ——— Plumer, Eſq; 1760.

P. 211.———5. St. Andrew is a clergyman, and married Miſs Chaſe, of Bromley in Kent, 1759.

——————— 6. Elizabeth was married (1760) to William Bagott, Eſq; member for Staffordſhire, ſon of Sir Walter Bagott, Bart.

P. 213. Arundel of Wardour, l. 16. James Everard was married (1751) to Miſs Wyndham, daughter and heir of John Wyndham, of Saliſbury, Eſq;

P. 215. Charles, Lord Dormer, dead, and ſucceeded by his brother, John.

P. 216.———8. Mary died 1753.

P. 235. Foley, l. 12. Elizabeth died 1759.

P. 236.———2. Henry's firſt wife, Mrs. Philips, is dead: and he married to his ſecond (1759) Miſs Triphena Scawen, of Maidwell, Northamptonſhire.

——————— 4. Allen, is alſo rector of Beverſton in Glouceſterſhire.

P. 242. Matthew, Lord Ducie, is dead, and ſucceeded by his brother Charles, now Lord Ducie.

P. 245. Lewis did not marry Mr. Pelham's daughter Grace, but Frances. *See p.* 37.

——— 3. George is groom of the bed-chamber to his Majeſty, Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant of the 96th

96th regiment, and member of parliament for the city of Lincoln.

P. 248.——7 Mary was married (1751) to Alexander Wright, Esq;

——— John Thynne, Lord Chedworth, dead, and succeeded by his brother, Henry-Frederick.

P. 249. Richard, Lord Edgcumbe, dead, and succeeded by his brother, George, who married Miss Gilbert, daughter to the late Archbishop of York, 1761.

P. 254. George, Lord Anson, dead, and the title extinct.

P. 263. L. 7. Lord Mansfield is not brother, but uncle to Lord Viscount Stormont.

P. 265.——6. William Henry was afterwards, viz. in 1759, appointed governor of Jamaica.

P. 267. John, Lord Wycombe, dead, and succeeded by his son William.

——— Wycombe, l. 4. for Dunkerton, read Dunkerron.—L. 12. for be, read bees.

P. 276.——7. Elizabeth was married (1759) to the Rev. Mr. Briscoe.

The

The preſent State of the LORDS SPIRITUAL, with their reſpective Promotions and Tranſlations.

Names.	Sees.	Anno.	In room of
His Grace Dr. Thomas Secker, Primate of all England.	Briſtol	1734	Cecil, tr.
	Oxford	1737	Potter, tr.
	Canterbury	1758	Hutton. dec.
His Grace Dr. Robert Drummond, Primate of England.	St. Aſaph	1748	Liſle, tr.
	Saliſbury	1761	Thomas, tr.
	York	1761	Gilbert, dec.
The Right Reverend Dr. Richard Oſbaldeſton,	Carliſle	1747	Fleming, dec.
	London	1761	Hayter, dec.
Hon. Dr. Richard Trevor,	St. David's	1744	Willes, tr.
	Durham	1752	Butler, dec.
Dr. John Thomas,	Peterborough	1747	Clavering, dec
	Saliſbury	1757	Gilbert, tr.
	Wincheſter	1761	Hoadly, dec.
Dr. Matthias Mawſon,	Landaff	1738	Harris, dec.
	Chicheſter	1740	Hare, dec
	Ely	1754	Gooch, dec.
Dr. Edward Willes,	St. David's	1742	Clagget, tr.
	Bath & Wells	1743	Wynn, dec.
Dr. John Thomas,	St. Aſaph	1743	Maddox, tr.
	Lincoln	1744	Reynolds, dec.
	Saliſbury	1761	Drummond, tr
Rt. Hon. Ld. James Beauclerk.	Hereford	1746	Egerton, dec.
Dr. Zachary Pearce,	Bangor	1747	Hutton, tr.
	Rocheſter	1756	Wilcox, dec.
Hon. Dr. Fred. Cornwallis,	Litch. & Cov.	1749	Smalbroke, d.
Dr. Edmund Keene,	Cheſter	1752	Peploe, dec.
Dr. James Johnſon,	Glouceſter	1752	Benſon, dec.
	Worceſter	1759	Maddox, dec.
Dr. Wm. Aſhburnham,	Chicheſter	1754	Mawſon, tr.
Dr. Richard Newcome,	Landaff	1755	Creſſet, dec.
	St. Aſaph	1761	Drummond, tr.
Dr. John Hume,	Briſtol	1756	Conybeare, dec.
	Oxford	1758	Secker, tr.
Dr. John Egerton,	Bangor	1756	Pearce, tr.
Dr. Richard Terrick,	Peterborough	1757	Thomas, tr.

NAMES.	SEES.	Anno.	In room of
Dr. Philip Yonge,	Briſtol	1758	Hume, tr.
	Norwich	1761	Hayter, tr.
Dr. Wm. Warburton,	Glouceſter	1759	Johnſon, tr.
Dr. Samuel Squire,	St. David's	1761	Ellis, dec.
Dr. John Ewer,	Landaff	1761	Newcome, tr.
Dr. John Greene,	Lincoln	1761	Thomas, tr.
Dr. Tho. Newton,	Briſtol	1761	Yonge, tr.
Dr. Charles Littleton,	Carliſle	1760	Oſbaldeſton, tr.
Hon. Dr. Frederick Keppel,	Exeter	1762	Lavington, de.

The Sixteen PEERS for SCOTLAND.

JOHN Duke of Argyle.
William Earl of Sutherland.
John Earl of Rothes.
James Earl of Morton.
Alexander Earl of Eglington.
James Earl of Moray.
John Earl of Hyndford.
James Earl of Abercorn.
John Earl of Loudon.
John Earl of Breadalbane.
William Earl of Dunmore.
James Earl of March.
Hugh Earl of Marchmont.
John Earl of Bute.
David Viſcount Stormont
Charles Lord Cathcart.

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